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DAILY TRIBUNE.

Monday Morning .... August 3, 1857.

Elections To-Day.

Elections are held to day in Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky, Alabama, Texas and Kansas Territory.

The issue in Iowa is the new Constitution and the supplementary clause concerning negro suffrage—to be voted on separately. We have no doubt the new Constitution will receive a handsome majority.

In Missouri the contest is clearly between respectability and Border Ruffianism. In some portions of the State—St. Louis and the River counties above—the vote for ROLLINS may be safely taken as an index of the feeling in favor of emancipation. In other portions of the State, the contest has been conducted more on the old Whig and Democratic basis, with the difference that the BENTON men proper will vote for ROLLINS. The Border Ruffians have industriously charged Maj. ROLLINS with "Black Republicanism." What effect this may have had on the State at large, we shall soon learn.

In Kentucky the issue seems to have been made as distinctly as possible, between Know Nothingism and Sham Democracy. A State Treasurer and ten members of Congress are to be elected. The present delegation consists of six K. N.'s and four Democrats. We judge that the Democratic ticket will be generally successful. One Republican is running for Congress on his own suggestion.

Alabama elects members of Congress, State Officers and Legislature. Of course, whatever passes for Democracy will get the votes. There is a possibility of the election of a K. N. in the Mobile Congressional District, but hardly more than a possibility.

SAM HOUSTON is running for Governor of Texas—chiefly we believe on the ground of his past services to the Republic and the State. We shall be more gratified than we expect to be, to hear of his election.

The Free State men of Kansas vote for the recent nominees of the Topeka Convention—State Officers except Governor and Lieutenant Governor, and Delegate to Congress—and for or against the Topeka Constitution. Some apprehension is felt concerning the presence of Walker and the troops at Lawrence, but it is unlikely that he will risk himself in another *coup d' etat*. He has put his foot into it once. If he wishes to jump into it all over, now is his chance.

Latest News by the Mails.

Boiler Explosion in Davenport—Engineer Killed.

Yesterday morning, about half-past 6 o'clock, a boiler in the engine house of the railroad machine shop in Davenport, exploded with tremendous force, immediately killing the engineer and literally tearing the building (a two story brick) to pieces, and leaving but a heap of useless rubbish where it stood. Only the smoke stack was left standing. A corner of one of the machine shops was also blown off and some ugly holes made in the other and breaking many windows. A heavy piece of the boiler was carried some hundred yards up on the side of the bluff, and bricks and other missiles were thrown a great distance and scattered profusely all over the depot grounds. The engine was completely dislodged from its bed and broken to pieces. The large iron arms of the fly wheel were snapped off as if they had been pipe stems, and many other evidences were visible of the fearful violence of the explosion. The cause of the accident was carelessness on the part of the engineer in not keeping sufficient water in the boilers. He had just got them well heated and it is supposed commenced pumping cold water into them preparatory to the commencement of work in the shops where the blow up took place. No one was present to witness the explosion except two men, one of whom was the watchman of the depot, who immediately ran over and dragged the dead body of the engineer from the heap of rubbish. We did not learn his name.—*Rock Island Adv., July 31st.*

FOR NICARAGUA.

Sailing of the Tennessee.

Plenty of Provisions, but no Passengers nor Freight.

THE TRANSIT REOPENED BY CHAS. MORGAN & SON.

[From the N. Y. Times, Friday.]

The steamship Tennessee, Captain Tinklepaugh, owned by Messrs. Morgan, Garrison & Co., sailed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, from the foot of Tenth street, carrying no passengers nor any freight, except coal, and a very large quantity of fresh provisions and ice. As the Tennessee has been so much in the public mind, in connection with the fillibustering adventures of Gen. Wm. Walker, it is somewhat strange that she should be on the point of sailing for the harbor of San Juan del Norte, without the knowledge of any of the leading fillibusteros of this city. Nevertheless, such was the case. Gen. Cazeneau, Gen. Wheat, Capt. Farnum, Allen, C. Lawrence, Esq., and others, knew nothing of her departure, until called upon by, our reporters for a correct account of the number of men who who were going on the new expedition, the quantity of arms and ammunition, and provisions, and the particular point at which they were to land and "make a descent" upon wrangling, unsuspecting Nicaragua. Not knowing, they could not say. And Captain Tinklepaugh, who was waited upon by another reporter, while on board the steamer, and just prior to her sailing, was in almost equal ignorance. He knew she was going to sail, for the pilot had just arrived upon her deck, and he knew he (Capt. Tinklepaugh) was to command her; but he couldn't tell where she was going. He thought Mr. Morgan, away down at No. 3 Bowling-green, might know something about it, but he was not sure. While he was talking, still another reporter was engaged in the interesting process of "pumping" that same Mr. Morgan, away down in No. 3 Bowling-green. But Mr. Morgan did not yield much per stroke. He didn't flow freely. There was something out of order somewhere. The facts elicited may be best gathered from the following report of the conversation:

Reporter—I understand the steamer Tennessee leaves this afternoon?

Mr. Morgan—She does.

Reporter—I understand she is going to Nicaragua: is that so?

Mr. Morgan—It is so.

Reporter—Does the steamer take any passengers or freight?

Mr. Morgan—No, neither.

Reporter—Will the steamer stop at any port on her way to Nicaragua?

Mr. Morgan—Who the d—l are you, to ask all these questions?

Reporter—I ask from a desire only to get at the facts of the case.

Mr. Morgan—Are you a newspaper man?

Reporter—I am.

Mr. Morgan—Well, well, I have told you all the facts.

Reporter—You will please excuse me if I ask a few further questions, which you are at liberty of course to answer or not, as you please.

Mr. Morgan—You can ask what you please, but I tell you I have told you all the facts.

Reporter—Who are the parties who have chartered the steamer?

Mr. Morgan—I can tell you nothing more—I have told you everything.

Reporter—How long will the steamer remain in Nicaragua?

Mr. Morgan—I have told you everything, I tell you.

Reporter—Will the steamer come back to New York.

Mr. Morgan—I have told you the steamer is going to Nicaragua—what will become of her after her arrival there the Lord only knows.

Reporter—Is the steamer going to aid Gen. Walker in a second filibuster enterprise?

Mr. Morgan—Do you suppose I am going to take down my ledger and make an open exposition of my affairs and intentions to the world?

A probable statement, from a party who is perhaps as well informed in relation to matters of interest respecting Nicaragua and the Transit route as any body in the city, was to the following effect: It starts with a conviction that in this matter (the sailing of the Tennessee) Morgan and Garrison have out-commodored Commodore Vanderbilt. It then goes on to state that it is well known that Mr. Harris, the son-in-law of Morgan, and a junior partner in the concern, has been in Nicaragua and Costa Rica for a considerable time, in company with another agent of the firm; and also in company with Mr. Carey Jones, who was sent out by the United States Government to investigate. It is also well known that our Government, while refusing to co-operate with either of the Commodores for their especial benefit, has intimated pretty strongly, that whoever should secure the re-opening of the Transit, should be protected in the use of it. It is also well known that the reports to the effect that Gen. Walker was about to return have reached Costa Rica and created no small degree of concern. With a knowledge of these latter facts it is held as extremely probable that the agents of Morgan and Garrison have succeeded in convincing the Nicaraguans and Costa Ricans if the Transit were not opened immediately, that the United States Government would not be inclined to place any effectual obstacle in the way of the return of General Walker. And on the other hand, that if the Transit were opened, the United States Government would look with extreme jealousy upon any movement calculated to disturb the peace and tranquility of Central America. Following an acknowledgment of the correctness of the above, there commenced very naturally a negotiation for the return of the remaining river and lake boats. That concluded satisfactorily, the Tennessee arrives in the harbor of San Juan del Norte. There is a steamboat in waiting to carry a few persons to Lake Nicaragua; a lake steamer to take them to Virgin Bay, and from there plenty of mules—a short ride across to San Juan del Sur, and Charles Morgan and Son are again in possession of the reopened Transit route, with the Government's promise of protection.

CITY ITEMS.

LARCENY.—Theodore Bleway, was, on Saturday committed for trial by Justice Grants, in default of $250 bail, on a charge of stealing $3 from John Arch.

HACKMAN FINED.—James Rowing, driver of hack No. 12, was fined $10 in the Police Court, on Saturday, for running his vehicle without a license.

STEALING TOOLS.—John Gainer was committed for trial on Saturday by Justice d'Wolf, in default of $500 bail, upon a charge of stealing planes, saws and other tools from James Hulihan.

HELD TO BAIL.—Catharine Sweeny, arrested in Marshall, Mich., for stealing $60 in gold in this city, was on Saturday brought before the Police Court and committed for trial in default of $500 bail.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Friday evening a workman employed in Messrs. Willard, Peck & Co.'s furniture factory, while at work with a circular saw had his right hand nearly severed from the arm by his wrist carelessly coming in contact with the saw.

STEALING MILK.—David Jones *alias* 'Old Sticks,' a carrier for one of the Morning papers, was fined $2 in the Police Court, on Saturday, for milking somebody else's cow, while delivering papers on his route.

MADEIRA PET.—This vessel sails for Liverpool to-day. She takes home a cargo of twenty-six hundred and fifty hides from this city, and thirty thousand staves from Detroit. The cargo is purchased on account of her owners.

CONTEMPT.—J. J. Ruby, keeper of a saloon on Wells street, was on Saturday committed to jail, by order of Judge Wilson of the Court of Common Pleas, for contempt in refusing to obey an injunction issued from the Court.

REJECTED.—The New York *Tribune* of Friday last says that the basis of an arrangement, which we have before alluded to as having been agreed upon between the Committees of the Michigan Southern and Fort Wayne and Chicago Roads, has been rejected by the Board of Directors of the Fort Wayne Road.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.—On last Thursday afternoon a little son of Mr. Tanner, residing in the West Division, was severely wounded by the accidental discharge of a revolver, in the hands of a comrade. The ball entered the left side of the abdomen, just in the front of the ribs, and passed across it, lodging in the cavity of the abdomen. The little fellow is now thought to be in a favorable condition though it was a narrow escape.

MISSED HIS MARK.—A man named Patrick Coney, went to the West Station House, Friday night, and complained of his wife for being drunk. A policeman went with him and found his wife perfectly sober, and then arrested him. During the hearing of the evidence the true state of affairs leaked out, and it was discovered that he was the guilty party, and had used threatening language towards his family. He was fined $12, and gave bonds in the sum of $300 to keep the peace.

REFORM SCHOOL.—On Saturday, Thomas Mahony, aged 13 years, and who has already served one term in the Reform School, was brought before the Police Court and sent back to the School for stealing a $3 bill from the money drawer of Eals's grocery in the North Division.

John Prazen, who came here from St. Louis on Friday night, was also sent to the Reform School for vagrancy.

ELOPEMENT.—On Friday, a man residing in Michigan came to this city, in search of his wife and three children who had left home about two weeks previously, ostensibly to visit some friends residing here. The husband being unable to discover the whereabouts of his family applied to the Police, and an investigation of the affair disclosed the fact that the woman had eloped with a fellow named Lewis and taken her children with her. This Lewis has been employed in Vinton's saloon as waiter, and was formerly an itinerant Methodist preacher. No trace of the fugitives has been discovered.

A STRAY BIT OF HUMANITY.—Saturday morning upon the arrival of the night express train upon the Michigan Central Railroad, a fine, healthy looking male infant was found in a basket which had been placed in one of the cars while the train was stopping at Jackson. The infant was clad in richly embroidered garments and several extra suits were found placed in the bottom of the basket. Policeman Taylor carried the child to the Central Station and it was placed in charge of a lady who volunteered to adopt it as her own. From the quality and quantity of clothing left with the child it is supposed its parents are wealthy.

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL AND FOND DU LAC RAILROAD. CHANGE OF TIME.—We would call attention to the new time table which goes into effect on the above road to-day. Two trains leave daily for Janesville, Beloit, Madison, Prairie du Chien, St. Paul, and all intermediate points, connecting at Prairie du Chien with one of the fast, comfortable and capacious steamers of the Minnesota Packet Co., which run in connection with this line only.

To the pleasure seeker, this line furnishes the greatest inducements. It passes through the enterprising cities of Janesville, Madison, and Prairie du Chien, which together with a trip to the Upper Mississippi, comprises one of the best tours, which in this hot and dusty season can be taken. To the business man the inducements are not inferior. Between this city and St. Paul, 12 hours are gained by this road over the Dunleith route. For comfort, safety and speed, we pronounce this a model road.

BEATING A POLICEMAN.—Michael Smith was fined $35 in the Police Court on Saturday, and sent ten days to Bridewell for beating Officer Ernst. It appears the officer was walking his beat on Michigan Avenue on last Thursday night when he heard a cry of "police," and on going to State street, near Harrison he was attacked by four men and severely beaten—a man named Lodwig, who came to the assistance of the officer was also very roughly handled. The bullies escaped before aid came, but on Saturday Officer Ernst saw one of the men in the street, and with the assistance of Officer Grant arrested him. These rowdies are friends of Anderson, the burglar arrested by Ernst, and the attack was made by way of revenge for the arrest of their companion. After the fracus the rowdies went to Stanwix Hall, on Clark street, and openly boasted of their dastardly exploit.

COOK COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—A meeting of gentlemen interested in, and favorable to the encouragement of Agricultural and Horticultural science, was held at the office of the *Prairie Farmer* Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Edgar Sanders was called to the chair, and Frank W. Reilly appointed Secretary. Mr. Sanders briefly stated the objects and necessities of such an organization—"presumed that those present felt as deeply as he, himself, the want of such a society in this, the Garden City, and were as anxious for its formation. He, therefore, would not enlarge upon these topics—his forte was rather in action than oratory." H. D. Emery, Esq., made a few pointed remarks, and moved that the Secretary be empowered to forward a circular of invitation to those interested, to attend the next meeting. After some further discussion, on motion the meeting adjourned to meet on Friday, August 6th, at 3 o'clock P. M., at the same place.

DASTARDLY ASSAULT UPON A WOMAN.—A rough brutal looking fellow, named Thomas Trench was on Saturday brought before the Police Court upon a charge of brutally beating a married woman named Dorotha Wendel, and attempting to violate her person. Mrs. Wendel stated that Trench met her on Randolph street, about 6 o'clock on Saturday morning as she was going out to wash for a family and asked her if she wanted work. She replied that she did, but was engaged for that day. Trench then told her that he wanted her to clean an office, and asked her to go and see the place, that she might know where to come on Monday. Mrs. Wendel then accompanied Trench to an office in the upper story of No. 44 Clark street. As soon as they went into the room Trench locked the door and made improper advances to her. These she resisted, and, finding the door fastened, called for assistance. Trench then struck her a heavy blow in the face, inflicting a severe wound, threw her down upon the floor and attempted to violate her person, but she resisted and made so great an outcry that the brute was forced to let her go, but not until he compelled her to promise ... to enter a complaint against him. Soon after she ... told him her story, whereupon ... [illegible] ... attempt to commit a rape.

SEDUCTION, ABORTION, AND DEATH. SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

The Seducer and Physician Arrested.

From the Coroner and Police officers we obtain the following account of one of the most shocking and infamous crimes ever perpetrated in our city. The persons implicated are well-known citizens of this State, and men of wealth and education, making the crime with which they are charged only the more dark and venal.

Some days previous to the 22d of July last, a young woman named Regnat Lawson, but who gave the name of Regnat Peterson, was brought to this city, by James H. Temple, who resides on a farm near Chillicothe, Peoria county, in this State and by a doctor Swansey residing some four miles from Bureau Junction in Bureau county. The woman was brought here against her will, and several times attempted to escape from the men (if such they can be called,) but they pretended she was insane, and told the passengers in the cars not to heed her statements. She was taken to the American House in this city, and an abortion procured upon her against her will by, as it is believed, Dr. Swansey, with the knowledge and procurance of Temple.

On July 22d, the woman was removed from the American House to the house of Mrs. Fallbush, a midwife, No. 376 State street, and left there against Mrs. Fallbush's wish, her house being very small, and Temple left $5 as part compensation for taking care of the girl. At this time Mrs. Fallbush did not know the cause of the girl's sickness. Temple and Swansey both promised to visit the girl and provide her with necessaries, but at the expiration of two days neither had been there and the girl being very dangerously ill Mrs. Fallbush went to Coroner Hanson, supposing he still held the office of Health Officer and wanted to have the girl taken to the Hospital. Mr. Hansen told her to employ a physician, and Dr. Loevenstein was called who at once discovered that an abortion had been committed.—Dr. Bevans was subsequently called in by an American lady to whom Mrs. Fallbush had applied for advice. Dr. Bevans obtained from the unfortunate girl a history of the affair, the name of Temple being concealed, as the girl refused to give the name of her seducer. After telling her story, the lady referred to, at the girl's request wrote a letter to Dr. Swansey which was deposited in the post office at Bureau Junction by a Detective Officer, and who watched until Swansey called for it, and then "shadowed" him to this city. During this time no trace was found of Temple, whom the officers supposed to be a Mr. Lawson.

Dr. Bevans' continued to attend the woman, keeping the coroner informed of her condition, and of such facts as came under his observation, likely to aid in discovery of the criminals. Meantime Dr. Swansey was closely shadowed, in the hope that he would meet with Temple, and thus discover him to the officers—but this he did not do. On last Thursday Temple came to the city, and finding Dr. Bevans in attendance upon the girl, became afraid that the Police would get wind of the affair, and on Thursday night last, after the girl had been at Mrs. Fallbush's home eight days without his coming near her, or indeed paying the slightest attention to his victim—he procured a carriage and took her to the Bull's Head Hotel, where she died on Friday morning about four o'clock. This movement on the part of Temple did not escape the notice of the Police, or of Dr. Bevans. After the girl died, Temple applied to see Dr. Bevans, for a physician's certificate as to the cause of her death, in order that he might procure a coffin and have the girl buried. Under the direction of the coroner the doctor gave a certificate, stating that the girl died of inflamation of the womb; but not alluding to the cause of the inflamation—and directed Temple to Mr. Jourdan's coffin warehouse, on Clark street. Up to this time Temple had not been seen by the Police, although they had a description of his person from Mrs. Fallbush. When Temple came for the coffin, the coroner and Mr. Jourdan were in the warehouse, and, according to arrangement, Mr. Jourdan went with Temple to the Bull's Head, to place her in the coffin, while the Coroner, Marshal Donnelly and Officer Douglass preceded them in a hack. As soon as Temple entered the hotel he was arrested by the officers, and taken to the Central Station, and locked up. The body of the girl was placed in the coffin, and taken charge of by the coroner. This was on Friday forenoon, and on Saturday Dr. Swansey was arrested and also locked up. On Saturday afternoon Temple went before Justice Milliken, of the Police Court, waived an examination, and was committed for trial upon a charge of murder.

Coroner Hansen empanneled the following jury of Inquest to investigate the affair:—S. D. Childs, foreman; W. F. Colby, W. W. Danenhower, Dolivar Walker, Julius Crone, J. M. Spear, Ernst Riedel, R. A. Stampoflski, S. Beardsley, W. F. Lavanway, William Yelverton and A. Gray.

The Jury adjourned until this morning at 9 o'clock to await the result of a post-mortem examination made by Drs. Cheney, Warden, and Bevans. The examination of the body was completed on Saturday and fully satisfied the physicians that an abortion had been procured. Remains of the placenta were found in the womb and mortification was extensive and deep seated.

Temple is apparently about forty-five years of age, rather under size and slender. He has dark brown hair, grayish blue eyes, very dark complexion with nearly black whiskers slightly sprinkled with grey. He wore a white hat with a "weed," dark frock coat, fancy Marseilles vest, and light drab pantaloons. He is a widower, engaged in farming and resided in this city and St. Louis some years ago. He is a church member in good standing and has relatives of the highest respectability in this city and St. Louis, who are greatly distressed at his conduct. When arrested he trembled violently and seemed completely unmanned. He inquired the cause of the arrest and on being told by the Coroner begged of the officers not to expose the affair and to save himself from being disgraced. Since his arrest, in conversation with the officers, he has confirmed a portion of the girls story to Dr. Bevans but denies that he had anything to do with procuring the abortion which caused her death.

Dr. Swansey is a native of England, a man of family and possessed of considerable influence in Bureau county. He is said to be worth a hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Regnet Lawson, whose terrible fate we have partially narrated, was apparently about twenty-five years of age. She was born in this country, of Swedish or Norwegian parents, both of whom died when she was about two years old. Temple took her into his family soon after her parents death, and she lived in the family as a foster daughter until the fatal day she left home to pass through a terrible ordeal of suffering to her grave.

At this stage of the proceedings we shall not comment upon the dark crime which has been committed. The examination before the Jury of Inquest will doubtless fully develop all the circumstances connected with the tragedy, a full report of which will appear in our columns.

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.—On Thursday last, Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins, who have been living on Jefferson near Madison street, intended to leave the city by the night train for Indianapolis, and for that purpose had packed up their goods in three trunks. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Higgins, who had previously taken the trunks to the depot and had them checked, returned to his house; his wife then handed him all the money she had—being a little over the sum necessary to pay their fare. He left the door saying he would be back in an hour and a half, when they would take their supper and go to the depot. Since that time nothing has been heard of Mr. Higgins, and his wife is in a most distressed state. It is feared that something has happened to him. No cause of difficulty existed between the parties, and that he has so villainously abandoned his wife and young child is altogether improbable. He was tall, sandy complexion, foxy whiskers, was pox marked, and about 30 years of age. His wife and child have been left without a change of clothing, all their clothes, as well as his, being in the trunks. Any one in Chicago or Indianapolis who can give any information concerning him to his distressed wife, will be performing not only an act of kindness but of actual relief.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE, AND CHICAGO RAILROAD.—The Pittsburgh *Journal* states that this Company has declared "a dividend of *six per cent.*, for the past twelve months, payable in stock on all the full paid shares. The road is clearly earning money and it would seem to be no more than fair to give the stockholders the benefit of earnings in increase of their shares. The road being unfinished, the earnings of cash are necessarily applied to the prosecution of the work to completion. In an undisturbed state of the money market the extension of the road would be accomplished either by the sale of the new stock, or by bonds. In the existing state of things this is found to be impracticable, and the next best thing is done, apply the cash earnings to prosecution of the work, and let it be represented by increase of the stock shares in the hands of the present holders."

THE ONLY HOPE TO THE AFFLICTED.—Some people are slow to believe ... [illegible]

...reaction which depresses the spirits and produces languor, when the bones and the muscles ... It adds activity to the organs, and makes the heart, the lungs, the brain and the liver, all perform their duties with renewed energy and healthful action. Dr. Tilton, the son-in-law of old Dr. James, is now at Room, No. —, Massasoit House, where he will remain a few days to administer the incomparable remedy and dispose of its recipe to those who need it.

He has also at his room a Spiro-Dynameter, an instrument invented by Dr. James, for testing the strength of the lungs in an instant—an instrument which is now used instead of the stethescope, as being much preferable to that for this purpose.

By addressing Dr. Tilton a note through the Chicago Post Office, inclosing four postage stamps (12 cents) a recipe will be sent in return free of charge to any part of the Union. DR. TILTON,
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BURNETT'S ORIENTAL TOOTH WASH.—This Elixir for the teeth and gums combines, in a concentrated form, the most desirable astringent properties, at the same time it contains nothing which can possibly injure the most sensitive and delicate organization.

It arrests decay of the teeth.
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It renders the gums hard and healthy.
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It has received the sanction and patronage of the most eminent of the Dental and Medical family.

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COMMERCIAL.

CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO DAILY TRIBUNE, Saturday Evening, Aug. 1, 1857.

Receipts of corn are again large, though not, as many supposed they would be, exceeding the amount received the previous 24 hours, being only 63,000 bushels from all sources. The market remains in good condition for corn, but wheat is dull and country produce generally declining. The New York news is a shade down on corn to day, and we learn of no sales after the news, which, however, was not received till the business of the day was generally over. Sugars are declined, and Belcher's refined were marked down ¼c ⅌ lb to-day, with a downward tendency, though they sold 700 bbls to-day at our quotations. We quote sales and nominal rates as follows:

FREIGHTS.—Schr Arctic takes corn to Buffalo at 4c, and schooners Massillon and Clyde to Ogdensburg at 8c, the latter two to load first of the week.

FLOUR.—Little doing; a few small sales of spring wheat extras to city trade at $6@6,50, and a small sale superfine at $5.

WHEAT.—Two or three parties trying to make up cargoes of spring, but could not succeed. Sales of 1,500 bushels spring, to arrive, at $1,12½ afloat; 700 bu at $1,13 in store. A car of new red sold to mill at $1,35, and a car at $1,33.

CORN.—Little disposition manifested by dealers to record their transactions, though two or three cargoes sold on 'change at 66½c on board first of the week; 18,000 bu for a propeller sold immediately after 'change hours at 66½c on board now; small lots at 66c in store.

OATS.—Sale of a car load at 44c, in bags at depot.

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes were plenty to-day at 75c@$1 per bushel; Onions, $1,25; Turnips 37½@50c; Peas 75c@$1; Tomatoes $3 per bus.

HIDES—17@20c ⅌ lb for dry flint; green 7½@8½c; green salted 9c@10c.

HAY—Prairie, (loose) from teams $8 ⅌ ton; pressed, $1.50 per bale, about $10 per ton.

CHEESE.—The range for W. R. is 9@9½c; Hamburg 10@10c; country 7@8c.

BUTTER.—Market firm at 16@20c, the latter for choice fresh New York and Ohio.

PROVISIONS.—Scarce and high. Mess Pork $23,50@24. Lard 14½c in bbls and tierces, 16c in kegs for family use.—Canvass hams 13½c; shoulders 11c. Tallow 11c. White beans $2,25 ⅌ bu.

FRUIT.—Green Apples $3,50@5 ⅌ bbl. Oranges $5 ⅌ box; Lemons $8@9 ⅌ box, according to quality. Currants $2,50 per bu and Whortleberries $6.

FEATHERS.—45@50c ⅌ lb.

POULTRY.—Spring chickens scarce at $2,50 ⅌ dozen.

WHITE FISH.—$6 ⅌ half bbl for No. 1, and $11,50 for whole bbls; No. 2's $5,75; No. 3's $5. Trout 2c less ⅌ package; whole bbls $11.

EGGS.—Lower, 15@16c per dozen.

HIGHWINES.—Dull at 28c by the large quantity, and 30c ⅌ gallon in less lots. Pure spirits (Shuefeldt & Co.'s Chicago) 38@40c ⅌ gal.

SUGARS, SYRUPS & MOLASSES.—There is a downward tendency, and Belcher's refined are marked down ¼c ⅌ lb to-day as will be seen by the following quotations. Refined Loaf Sugars are quoted, for double refined, 15c; small loaf ... or O, 14½c; crushed sugar, double refined, 14¾c, crushed sugar, C, 14½c; powdered, sugar, double refined, 14¾c; powdered sugar, C, 14½c; refined white sugar, O, 13½c; refined yellow sugar, A, 13¾c; refined yellow sugar, B, 12c. Their Syrups are as follows: ... 25 bbls. 60c; Extra Sugar House Syrup 70c; Golden Syrup 60c in bbls, 5c in half bbls, 4c in kegs. New York Syrups are 80@85c, and lowest grade molasses 60@70c; Extra Golden 82c; Stewart's and Booth & Edgar's, N. Y., 90c.

New York Market—July 30.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

FLOUR—Market better; sales 5,000 bbls at $6,30@6,44 for common to choice super fine state; ... $6,65@6,75 for extra do; $6,35@6,45 for superfine western and $6,55@7 for common to medium, extra Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri. Market closing quiet.

CANADIAN FLOUR—unchanged. Sales 300 bbls $6,25@6,45 for super; ...

RYE FLOUR—... $4@4,40 for common.

WHEAT—Market steady; Chicago spring nominal at $1,38@1,39; white Canadian $1,80.

CORN—Heavy at 8@88c for western mixed.

OATS—Steady at ... for state and western.

WHISKEY—Heavy at 31½c.

PORK—Steady at $23,25@23,75 for mess; and $19.50 for prime.

BEEF—A shade higher.

LARD—Buoyant at 15@15½c.

New York Stock Market—July 30.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Stocks dull, and lower; N. Y. C. 81¾; Panama 93; Erie 33¾; C & R I 93; M S 30¾; Ill C 120½; L & Mil 33¾; do pri village 47; C & T 51¾; Galena & Chicago 90; Mich C 80¾.

Cincinnati Market—July 31.

FLOUR.—The receipts of flour continue light, and the market steady at $6.20@6.30 for superfine. Extra brands sold to-day at $6.75.

WHEAT.—The receipts of wheat are increasing, with a ... acive demand, and considerable competition among buyers. Prices are irregular. A sale was made to-day of white wheat, delivered, at $1.50—regular rates, and above the market. The regular price for white is $1.30, and for red $1.20.

Corn has a downward tendency, without change in quotations.—[Gazette, Aug. 1st.]

WHISKY.—Is dull at 25¾c.

PROVISIONS.—Bacon has further advanced, and sales of 100 hhds of shoulders took place at 11¾c. Sides 13@13¼c for clear. No large transactions in sugar; 60 bags coffee sold at 11¾c.

Montreal Market—July 25.

FLOUR.—The demand for the better grades of Superfine is good, as well as for all kinds of coarse Flour; for Fancy and Extra Superfine there has been more enquiry this week and more sales have taken place at slightly advanced rates. No 1, Superfine of poor quality is dull but held firmly at last week's prices.

WHEAT.—Only one parcel of Milwaukee Club on the market for which 7s 3½d is offered, and 7s 6d asked.

CORN.—Sales of one cargo at 4s 10½d ⅌ 56 lbs, held at 4s 3d in store.

BARLEY.—None.

PROVISIONS.—Pork has advanced about half a dollar ⅌ barrel, and we quote sales of mess at $25 to $25½, and prime mess at $22 to $22¼.

FREIGHTS.—Grain has been taken by steamer to Liverpool at 4s sterling, ⅌ quarter. Ashes at 22s 6d to 27s 6d ⅌ ton, and Flour at 2s 9d to 3s 3d ⅌ bbl. To London and the Clyde no Grain or Flour going forward.

CROPS NOT ALL GOOD.—J. P. White, a large farmer near Urbana, Champaign county, informs us he had a field of 60 acres of winter wheat entirely destroyed by rust, and he did not put a sickle into it. Wm. Hardin, in Vermillion county, near Homer, lost his entire crop from rust. Mr. Curtis, Urbana, (formerly Mayor of this city,) and many others complain of damage to their late sown fall wheat. The corn is reported to look well and healthy but backward.

WEATHER AND CROPS IN CANADA.—The following is an extract from a letter dated Bronte, C. W., July 24th, to a commercial house in this city: "The weather here is very wet and has been for several days. All heavy wheat nearly flat on the ground, and large quantities of grass rotting in the fields. Wheat harvest will commence about the 10th of August and will not be completed before the 15th. Prospects considerably below an average."

The Hamilton Spectator, of the 28th, says: "We are very sorry to hear wretched accounts of the crops throughout this district and country. The rain has unquestionably done some damage, and the wheat is laid in almost every direction."

SUGAR DECLINE.—The stock of Sugar on hand in New York on the 27th, was not less than 100,000 hhds, besides 15,000 to 20,000 Melado. The Evening Post states that the decline in price on this stock since the 1st inst was, including reduction of duty, is at least two and a half or three millions of dollars. The fall is fully 1¼ cent per pound on general qualities, and the market remains depressed. Recent importations from the West Indies, costing 11¾ cents, have been sold in lots at 9¼ cents. The Eastern States have produced largely from the maple tree, and the decrease of demand on the New York market from that quarter is enough of itself to affect prices seriously. Many think that the price of Sugar has reached the highest point, and that from the present time a rapid decline may be looked for.

DRY GOODS.—The trade in foreign goods has partially opened for the fall season. Prices are fairly firm; but it appears that the advance in the cost in goods ... [illegible] ...—N. Y. Independent, Thursday, 31st.

Failures, Assignments, &c.

The following are the list of failures, assignments, &c., for the week ending July 31st, as reported in the New York Independent: [illegible]

Receipts of Produce.

The following are the receipts of Flour and Grain by Rail and Canal from the ... to the Board of Trade, and Shipments by Lake for a ... time:

	FLOUR. Bbls.	WHEAT. Bush.	CORN. Bush.	OATS. Bush.
Ill & Mich Canal	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Galena U. R. R.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rock Island RR	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ill Central RR	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C B & Q	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C & M & ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C A & St L RR	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SHIPMENTS BY LAKE.

	FLOUR. Bbls.	WHEAT. Bush.	CORN. Bush.	OATS. Bush.
To Buffalo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
To Oswego	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Other ports	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

COLLISION.—The brig J. H. Harmon, which arrived here Saturday from Oswego, reports having collided with the schooner Exchange, bound for Superior, in the Straits Tuesday night last. The Harmon, had her side stove in, and her fore rigging, dead eyes, &c., carried away, to the amount of $400 or $500 damages. The Exchange lost her bob-stays, all her head gear and part of her boom. The wind was fair for both vessels, and not very dark.

LIGHT HOUSE AT CHARITY ISLAND.—Lieut. Smith, Light House Inspector, gives notice of the completion of this light house, which is 40 feet in height.

The tower and keeper's dwelling are white; the illuminating apparatus is fourth order catadioptric of the system of Fresnel, placed at an elevation of 45 feet above the mean level of the Bay, and which can be seen from the deck of a vessel 15 feet above the water, under ordinary states of the atmosphere, 12 nautical miles.

The light will be exhibited for the first time on the night of the 25th August next, and on every night thereafter, from sunset to sunrise, whilst the navigation of the lake and bay remains open.

VESSELS PASSED DETROIT—July 30.—Bound down—Barque Queen, Lady of the Lake, brig R. A. Cross, N. M. Standart; schr. Wm. Sanderson, Energy, Dio Vernon, Gertrude, Croassian.

Bound Up—Brig Liverpool; schr. Wild Rover, St. Albion.

WELLAND CANAL.—Passed up July 27—Propellers Prairie State, Dubuque; schooners Georgians, Revolving Light, ... 28th, propeller Jefferson.

Passed down, July 27—Steamer Reindeer; schooners Herald, Petrel, J. Coleman, Alliance, Bay of Quinte, J. Torrance, Bay City. 28th, propeller Buckeye; barque Superior; brig Sultan; schooners Syracuse, Athenian, Barbarian Conquest, Lilly Dancy.

☞ There are now four vessels on the stocks in this city which will be ready for sea in time for the fall business.

Messrs. Lee & Lamoree are building a vessel at their yard, up on the lake shore, which is designed for Lake Erie and Ontario Trade. She is 110 feet on deck, 108 feet keel, 25 feet six inches beam, 10 feet hold, and about 12,000 bushels capacity. No pains are being spared to make her a first class vessel.

George Goble is building a large first class vessel which will probably carry nearly 18,000 bushels of wheat. She is as large as can get through the Welland canal locks.

Jas. A. Baker has a new vessel on the stocks, which will be launched in about six weeks. Her keel is 126 feet, beam 16 feet, and depth of hold 11 feet ten inches.

Miller, Kitts Moore will launch a new vessel from their yard in two or three weeks. She is a fine looking craft, and will carry about 14,000 bushels.—(Oswego Times, 29th.

PORT OF CHICAGO.

Arrived—Aug. 1.

Stmr Traveler, Green, Milwaukee—105 half brls fish, 261 bf bbls beer.
Stmr Huron, Morgan, Grand Haven—30 half brls fish.
Prop Foss, Boyington, Muskegan—130 m lumber, 15 m lath.
Prop Ogontz, Wilkinson, St. Joseph—40 m lumber, 56 cords wood.
Bark Illinois, Carpenter, Cleveland—432 tons coal.
Bark Dolphin, Pratt, Saginaw—270 m lumber, 270 m lath, 300 m shingles.
Schr Essex, Smith, Saginaw—180 m lumber, 50 m lath.
Schr Ellen Williams, Sinclair, Saginaw—80 m lumber.
Schr Drake, Munroe, Saginaw—225 m lumber, 60 m lath.
Schr Sweepstakes, Buffington, Saginaw—380 m lumber, 60 m lath.
Schr Sutton, Lenart, Saginaw—100 m lumber, 200 m lath.
Schr Elbe, Huger, South Haven—40 m lumber.
Schr Christie, Joys, Milwaukee—1-0 m lumber.
Schr Queen of the West, Patterson, Green Bay—175 m lumber, 50 m lath.
Schr L. Irwin, Anderson, Manistee—70 m lumber.
Schr Pilgrim, Biggin, Manistee—150 m lumber.
Schr J. S. Clark, Biggie, Manistee—100 m lumber, 23 m lath.
Schr Calcutta, Smith, Manistee—85 m lumber.
Schr Marsh, (Mr.) Stears, Pentwaugish—200 m lumber.

Cleared—Aug. 1.

Stmr Huron, Morgan, Grand Haven—30 tons mdse.
Schr Traveler, Sweeney, Milwaukee—30 tons mdse.
Prop Foss, Boyington, Muskegan.
Prop Petrel, Sheldon, Buffalo—16,000 bus corn, 600 brls iron, 100 bales wool.
Prop Magnificent, Arthur, Buffalo—12,000 bus corn.
Bark Little ..., Carpenter, Cleveland.
Brig Columbia, McPherson, Milwaukee—80 tons stone.
Schr St. Eagle, Rattrey, Buffalo—15,815 bus corn.
Schr ... Richards, Buffalo—18,000 bus corn.
Schr ... Blair, Buffalo—12,000 bus corn.
Schr St. Lawrence, Morris, Port Ulao.
Schr Queen of the West, Patterson, Green Bay.
Schr Calcutta, Smith, Manistee.
Schr Ruger South Haven.

BY TELEGRAPH.

From Mexico.

WASHINGTON, August 1st.

New Orleans papers of Sunday last are to hand. They contain Vera Cruz dates to 21st, and City of Mexico dates to the 17th ult. As far as heard from the elections are all favorable to Comonfort. It was believed that Benito Quareta, a Progressionist, was elected President of the Special Court. In the election for Deputies in the City of Mexico on the 18th ult. the Liberals were triumphant.

Serious alarm was felt regarding the state of affairs with Spain. The Secretary of the Interior had addressed circulars to the Governors of the States on the subject. He states that a rupture is inevitable, and calls on the Government to hold the National Guards in readiness for orders, to transmit reports of their muleteers and efficiency to head quarters. The Rio *National* says that in case of war Comonfort will lead the army, and Quareta act as President in his stead.

The news of the war with the Pinto Indians was conflicting. General Alvers had not succeeded in subduing them, and it was reported that his health had given way. Gen. Lopez Vega, who was formerly exiled, has offered his services to Comonfort in case of a war with Spain.

Vera Cruz papers were silent on the subject of the Vomito.

The Revolutionary movements at Jalapa, in favor of Santa Anna, had caused the Government considerable uneasiness. It was generally believed at Vera Cruz that Santa Anna was in Cuba.

A despatch from St. Peirre Migneto, dated 27th ult., states that the barque Menaree, of Warren, Maine, from Gottenburg for New York, was totally lost near Burine on the 21st ult, together with 50 Swedish passengers. The captain, his wife, the crew, and six passengers were saved. The six passengers were landed at St. Pierre and were sent on to New York in the brig Gilles by the American Consul. The captain goes home via Sidney.

New Arrangement of Ocean Steamers

HALIFAX, August 1st.

Private advices from England state that the Canadian Government has guaranteed £3,000 per annum, in addition to the £70,000 given by the Province, to aid in the establishment of direct steam communication between England and St. Johns, Newfoundland. It is contemplated to run the steamer fortnightly, by arrangement with the North American Steamship Company, thus giving the Provinces, with the trips of the Cunard steamer, a mail from Liverpool weekly.

Sailing of Steamers—The New York Police Commissioners.

NEW YORK, August 1st.

The Collins steamer, Atlantic, sailed at noon for Liverpool with 57 passengers, including Gov. Wright, of Indiana, Minister to Prussia, and $364,400 in specie. The Vanderbilt also left at noon for Southampton and Havre with 180 passengers, and $500,000 in specie. The screw steamship Harmonia also sails to-day for Hamburg. The Police Commissioners commenced balloting for the seventh commissioner with the following result: Cyrus Curtiss, 3; Royal Phelps, 2; James W. Barker, 1. Twelve ballots have thus been held. It is feared no choice will be made to-day.

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The attention of the Trade is respectfully invited to this Article, before purchasing elsewhere.

JACKSON, SAWYER & MELLEN,
238 and 240 South Water street.
Chicago, June 5, 1857.

Removal.

BOWEN BROTHERS, WHOLESALE Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Yankee Notions, Ginghams, Watches, Jewelry, &c., have Removed to No. 73 LAKE STREET, (up stairs.)

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... Sugar ...
... Portland do.
For sale by J. H. DUNHAM & CO.,
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... Refined do.
... Packages from Green and Black Teas.
For sale low. M. D. GILMAN & CO.

AMUSEMENT—LOOK OUT FOR THE Balloon!—We have just received a new lot of Best South India Rubber Balloons ... H. IDISON & CO.

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TO LET—AT ABOUT $18 A MONTH, A small, new, comfortable Dwelling House; also the furniture to sell with or without the House. Located on the corner of Adams and Peoria sts., West Division. Inquire on the premises.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—THERE will be a regular meeting of the Institute at the Hall, Tuesday evening, August 4th, at half-past seven o'clock. A general attendance of members is requested.
LEWIS DODGE, Sec'y.

DISSOLUTION—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of John Hamer & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late firm will be settled by T. H. Edson.
JOHN HAMER.
T. H. EDSON.
July 13, 1857.

The business of the late firms of Gibson & White and John Hamer & Co. will be continued at the old stand 173 Lake street, by T. H. Edson and F. P. White, under the firm name of Edson & White.
T. H. EDSON.
F. P. WHITE.

DISSOLUTION.—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of S. R. Cobb & Co., was dissolved on the 18th of July, 1857, by the withdrawal from the concern of S. W. Condict, Jr. The business will be conducted, as heretofore, by S. R. Cobb & Co., who are authorized to receive all accounts due to the old concern, and who assume all accounts owing by it.
S. R. COBB.
A. A. ACKERLY.
S. W. CONDICT, JR.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the name and style of Ferry & Sellows, is this day dissolved by the special request of a majority of the parties, as per articles of agreement, and the business transacted under said name and firm is hereby discontinued. All claims, ... will be settled by Thos. W. Ferry, one of the undersigned.
THOS. W. FERRY.
WM. M. FERRY, JR.
Grand Haven, July 30, 1857.

Co-Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned formed a CO-PARTNERSHIP On the 18th of July 1857, Under the firm name of S. R. COBB & CO., For the purpose of carrying on the Foundry and Machinery Business.
S. R. COBB.
A. A. ACKERLY.
ALEXANDER MILLER.

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ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, AT 9½ A. M.,

AT MY NEW SALES ROOM, 104 LAKE street, between Clark and Dearborn sts., I will sell a large lot of Furniture, consisting of Bedsteads, Washstands, Bureaus, Sofas, Tables, Chairs, Feather Beds, Pillows, Mattresses, 3 Cook Stoves, Parlor Stoves, Crockery, Glassware, Bedding, &c. Also, a fine article of Patent Extension Mosquito Bars, 6 Marble Table Tops, 1 Force Pump (nearly new), 1 Mocking Bird Cage. Terms, cash.
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President Buckeye State Insurance Co.

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Notice.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED.—ON THE motion of C. Beckwith, Esq., Counsel for Richard T. Blackburn, on the 29th June, 1857, before Judge Wilson, in the Court of Common Pleas, the partnership heretofore existing between Richard Thomas Blackburn and James Kelly, who have been trading under the style of Blackburn & Co. and Kelly & Blackburn, was finally dissolved by order of the aforesaid Judge Wilson.

RICHARD T. BLACKBURN

Would inform his friends and the public, that he intends opening the

Stores Nos. 201 & 203 South Water Street,

[TWO DOORS FROM WELLS ST. BRIDGE,]

ABOUT THE FIRST OF SEPTEMBER, with a

Large Stock of Leather,

OF SUPERIOR TANNAGE AND FINISH, BOTH FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC,

Which he will sell at

UNUSUAL LOW PRICES FOR QUALITY.

New Leather Store.

AS THE CO-PARTNERSHIP WHICH existed under the firm name of KELLY & BLACKBURN has been dissolved by suit in Chancery, in consequence of a bill filed by JAMES KELLY, praying for a dissolution thereof, the undersigned (the senior partner of the late firm) will in a few days resume the business, and open a

LEATHER STORE,

containing an entirely new stock of goods, at

No. 245 Lake Street,

ONLY ONE DOOR WEST OF THE OLD STAND,

Where he hopes to be able to give full satisfaction to those who may favor him with their custom.
JAMES KELLY.

Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the firm of F. L. YOE & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. John C. Woolley and George E. Stanton are alone authorized to sign in liquidation only.
F. L. YOE,
GEORGE E. STANTON,
JOHN C. WOOLLEY.
Chicago, July 18, 1857.

Limited Partnership Notice.

IN CONFORMITY with an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act in relation to Limited Partnership," approved February 10th, A. D. 1857, we, the subscribers, do hereby certify that we have formed a Limited Co-partnership according to the provisions of said Act, for the purposes of doing business, in the City of Chicago, Cook county, Illinois ... general business of dealing in Leather and Shoe Stock, and such other goods, wares and merchandise ... that the name and style of the firm ... "STANTON, WOOLLEY & FULTON" ... [illegible]

Witness our hands, this 18th day of July, A. D. 1857.
GEORGE E. STANTON,
JOHN C. WOOLLEY,
WM. G. FULTON,
As special—S. H. CONDICT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK—ss.

This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the Town of South Chicago, ... George E. Stanton, John C. Woolley, William G. Fulton and Stephen H. Condict, ... [illegible]
JOHN FORSYTHE, Notary Public.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook.—ss.

John C. Woolley being first duly sworn, deposes and says ... [illegible]
JOHN C. WOOLLEY.
JOHN FORSYTHE, Notary Public.

Notice is hereby given, that we, the subscribers have this day formed a limited partnership, under the laws of the State of Illinois, and that the foregoing certificate, acknowledgment and affidavit, have been by us duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Cook, in the State of Illinois, which said certificate and affidavit truly and correctly sets forth the terms of said Partnership, and the name under which the business of said partnership will be transacted.
GEORGE E. STANTON,
JOHN C. WOOLLEY,
WM. G. FULTON,
S. H. CONDICT.
Chicago, July 18th, 1857.

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WANTED—A CANVASSER FOR EACH County in Illinois and Wisconsin, to procure subscribers to "Lossing's History of the United States." This book is a most valuable one for the family circle, being the only History brought down to the present time. ... Address RUFUS BLANCHARD, ... Chicago.

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WANTED—A FIRST RATE FEMALE COOK and a good House Girl, immediately. Inquire at 24 Wabash Avenue.

WANTED—FROM TEN TO TWENTY Thousand Dollars worth of Goods, at a fair price, in general stock suited to a country store, in exchange for ... and for cash. Address Box 280, Rockford, Winnebago Co., Ill.

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BOARDING—DESIRABLE ROOMS, WITH Board, for a gentleman and wife and a few single gentlemen, can be had at 68 Adams street.

BOARD.—A FEW GENTLEMEN CAN BE accommodated with board and pleasant rooms, by applying at 212 Madison street.

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BOARDING.—TWO SINGLE GENTLEMEN, or a gentleman and wife, can find good board and Rooms, at No. 133 West Randolph st.

BOARDING HOUSE, NO. 294½ STATE STREET.—A new House, for the reception of select boarders, (none but such need apply). Fine rooms for single gentlemen, and rooms for married gentlemen. Applications should be made immediately.

BOARDING.—GENTLEMEN AND THEIR wives, and single gentlemen, can find good board and pleasant rooms south-east corner of Clark and Jackson sts.

FIRST CLASS BOARDING HOUSE.—Board, with pleasant Rooms, furnished or unfurnished, and Day Board, can be obtained by applying at Nos. 278 and 280 State street.

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To Let or Lease.

TO RENT—THE OFFICE NOW OCCUPIED by Culver & Co., in Davisson's Block, 37 Clark street. It is suitable for a Lawyer, Real Estate or Commission Merchant.

FOR RENT.—SEVEN STORES, WITH dwellings over them, on Monroe street, corner of Halsted, West Division. A most eligible location. The stores and dwellings are new and well finished, supplied with water, &c. ... Apply at the ... L. T. Klaven & Co., 46 Wells street, under the Briggs House.

TO RENT—THE SECOND AND THIRD floors over No 104 Lake street, each 104 feet deep, with a good light at both ends. ... Apply to GEO. G. GRUBB.

TO LET—HOUSE TO LET, A FEW blocks west of Union Park, containing 6 rooms, cellar, with good yard ... Inquire of J. F. STARR, corner of Clark and North Water streets.

TO RENT—BANK OF COMMERCE OFFICE, corner Clark and Lake streets. Lease 4 years. Inquire of L. A. WILLARD, Assignee, at the Bank.

DWELLING HOUSE TO RENT AND FURNITURE for sale.—A house situated on Wabash avenue will be rented to any one who will purchase the furniture, which was made by first class New York. Address box 2834.

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CHEAP LOT AND HOUSE—18 FEET on North Clark street, by 110 feet deep to an alley, between Huron and Erie sts, with a two story frame building ... [illegible]

HOUSE FOR SALE—THE UNDERSIGNED will sell on ... [illegible] ... T. C. BOAG, at Dunn & Hoag, 62 North Clark street.

BILLIARD TABLES FOR SALE.—TWO Rosewood Frame Tables, have been in use only three months; all the fixtures complete; will be sold cheap. Inquire at the American House, corner of Lake and Wabash.

FOR SALE—A SPAN OF GOOD HORSES, well trained for carriage or general use. Sold single or double. Inquire of A. J. BROWN, 83 Clark street.

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FOR SALE—THE EAST ½ OF WEST ½ of Lot 7, Block 43, O. T., on which is a Brick Dwelling House. For terms, apply to W. T. BURGESS, 83 Clark st.

FOR SALE—A 16 HORSE POWER Engine, Boiler and Fixtures now running at the Union Foundry Works. ... STONE & BOOMER.

General Notice.

LOST ON THE MORNING OF THE ... [illegible] ... DIAMOND BREAST PIN. ... will be liberally rewarded.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.—Sealed proposals will be received ... [illegible]

ATTENTION GARDENERS—A SCIENTIFIC and practical Market Gardener, ... [illegible]

LODGING ROOMS—GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHED Lodging Rooms, ... [illegible]

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50 TONS PURE WHITE LEAD. For sale by SAWYER, PAINE & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 75 Lake street.

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FRESH LOBSTERS FROM THE SEA ... [illegible]

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DAILY TRIBUNE.

No. 51 CLARK STREET.

CITY OF CHICAGO.

Monday Morning.......August 3, 1857.

A Question Answered.

We challenge the *Tribune* to say if the Republican party repudiates the idea of freeing slaves.—*Chicago Times.*

The principles which are the foundation of the Republican party, and the objects to be accomplished by the Republican organization, are so fully set forth in the platform adopted at the National Convention at Philadelphia, in June, 1856, and at the Illinois State Republican Convention at Bloomington, in May of the same year, that we need not reaffirm them here. But as the CHICAGO TRIBUNE has been accused of radicalism that over-leaps the metes and bounds fixed by those respectable bodies as the limits beyond which political action should not extend, we desire, in answer to the question of the *Times* of Saturday, to say that the principles of the party as fully and authoritatively enunciated by the Conventions of which we speak, are those of this paper. Slaveholding is a crime against the bondman and a curse to the master; but it is one of the evils that has descended to us from former generations, and is not to be redressed without first paving the way to make that redress in some measure adequate to the proper reparation of the wrong that has been done. In arriving at this conclusion, we are forced to admit that we do not look so closely at the cases of individual hardship and injustice, as at the relative position of the white and black races. We hold, we believe in common with nine-tenths of the Republican party, that it is the duty of the white race to prepare the black race for freedom of which the latter has been so long deprived, and which the individuals thereof are hardly more fitted to enjoy than the thousands of Irish emigrants of the Catholic and shillalah species who just now make so many of our laws. We never cease to hope that the South may resolve upon gradual emancipation as the policy which her statesmen and politicians will steadily pursue, and which her Christian men and women will always commend.

The position of the Republican party, as we understand it, is:

1st. To oppose the extension of American Slavery over another inch of American soil; to circumscribe the curse within its present boundaries; to keep it strictly within Slave State limits.

2d. To secure for free labor, and free men all the territories belonging to the General Government, and to bring them into the Union as Free States, as fast as they acquire the requisite population.

3d. To place the General Government, from President to Postmasters, in the hands of men of Anti-Slavery sentiments, who will administer it according to the true intent and meaning of the Constitution as understood by Washington, Jefferson and the Fathers who framed it.

4th. To legislate Slavery *out* of any territory into which it may have obtained a foothold, and to place all the Territories under the benign influences of the principle of the Jeffersonian inhibition in the ordinance of '87, which made the great West free.

5th. To secure the influence of the general government on the side of Free Soil at home and abroad, and against Slavery propagandism, everywhere.

6th. The Republican party deny the right of the Federal Government to abolish Slavery in the Slave States, or of the Free States to interfere with the servile domestic institutions of the Slave States. But the sympathies and influence of the members of the party may be exerted in behalf of the slave, and their prayers may be offered for the abolition of our country's sin and shame. Members of the party who reside in States smitten by bondage, may use their tongues, pens and purses to mitigate, and finally to eradicate the evil from their respective States.

For an authoritative exposition of the principles of the National Republicans let the *Times* read the Philadelphia platform, adopted on the anniversary of the battle Bunker Hill.

We have answered the question of the *Times* plainly and frankly. Will it repay us by a reply to this: "Is the National Democratic party in favor of Emancipation in any form?"

A Reverend Doughface.

The *Times* of Saturday contains an article purporting to come from the *Illinois Baptist*, which out-snivels anything in the literature of grief. The article is entitled "An Outrage"—perpetrated by Hon. ISAAC N. ARNOLD, on the occasion of laying the corner-stone of the Douglas-Howard University. The *Illinois Baptist* informs us that Mr. ARNOLD "spent more than an hour in a *ranting political harangue*," and goes on to say: "we are no politician and have nothing to do with political parties, but this is a case in which we have a right to speak; and the *cause of Christ*, and the peace and happiness of society claim our pointed and full protestation. At no time or place, since the first celebration of American freedom, was there ever such an outrage perpetrated on a community."

The *Illinois Baptist* does not specify what particular remarks Mr. ARNOLD made, looking to the overthrow of "the cause of Christ" and the general collapse of social structure. We are obliged to examine the speech itself, for the paragraphs which the *Baptist* especially deprecates. We find the following which we judge to be the most inflammatory appeals uttered by Mr. ARNOLD on the occasion referred to:

Eighteen centuries ago, upon the plains of Judea, the great principles upon which all free government is based—the common *Father* and the common *brotherhood of man*—were taught by the Son of God.

When, eighty-one years ago, Jefferson proclaimed that "all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights; that among them are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," he struck the key-note of Christian Freedom.

He who extends the area of Freedom, he who in the hour of temptation stands faithful to the great principles of American Liberty—his name shall be canonized in the hearts of the American people.

It is well for us to learn our ideas of human rights first from the Bible, then from the Declaration of Independence.

Liberty, knowledge and religion are co-workers against slavery, ignorance and vice. You therefore, in laying these foundations are building up an institution favorable to liberty and religion.

Sentiments like these, the Reverend flunky of the *Illinois Baptist* calls "an inflammatory partisan speech." He squeezes out a few tears over the sad desecration of "the glorious Fourth of July," and finally gives way to grief in a tempest of blubbering:

Has it really come to this, that American freemen cannot again celebrate the glorious day of Independence—that Christians cannot attend the laying the corner-stone of the institution they are building, without political pettifoggers lugging in partisan strife and bitterness? No high-toned gentleman would be guilty of such meanness, and the finger of public condemnation should ever point to the wretch who would.

It is high time that Christians and honest men of all denominations and parties should speak out and rebuke the [illegible] spirit of partizanism which is sweeping over our country, and destroying the peace and harmony of the country.

It is time too, that Baptists should look out from among themselves, men who are known to be good and true—and they have a few tolerably fair speakers—who sympathize with their labors, and are able properly to present them before the public on such occasions, instead of selecting political aspirants, who, regardless of the ordinary courtesies of society, take advantage of the occasion to further their own interests by raising a *popular hobby, or lionizing some already popular man.*

We do not know the name of this Baptist Pecksniff; and we are equally ignorant of the place where he sheds the balm of his hallowed presence. Lest our readers should assume from internal evidence that this article is the joint production of Rev. Dr. HOWARD and STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS, we assure them that the former of those characters has never, to our knowledge, called the Declaration of Independence a "popular hobby," nor has the latter yet dared openly to cast the Mephistophelian sneer on the name of THOMAS JEFFERSON, which is contained in the concluding sentence of the paragraph quoted above. The editor of the *Baptist* takes precedence of both these ornaments of the religion of Christ. He strikes out quite an original course. He says in effect: "Oh, my Christian friends, we were gathered together to lay our corner stones and to do honor to a pure patriot—a light in the Kingdom of the Redeemer—by nominating him for the Presidency; and oh, my friends and breethering, a man of sin was found in our midst. He spoke to us after the manner of men, and said that our beloved Master had taught the common brotherhood of man on the plains of Judea more than one thousand years ago. How profane!! But this was not all my breethering. The son of Belial continued to blaspheme. He said that when THOMAS JEFFERSON wrote the Declaration of Independence, he struck the key note of Christian freedom. This was intended to mar the sweetness of our communion; and besides, my breethering, it was false. The evil man then told us that it was well to learn our ideas of human rights first from the Bible and then from the Declaration of Independence.

"How absurd, my breethering. But listen to the last, most wicked utterance of this depraved man. He said that we were building up an institution favorable to liberty and religion! He lied, my breethering.

"He came with guile upon his tongue to lead us from our pious, pure designs! He was a man of this world, and knew not holiness. O, he was full of heresy. Now my friends and breethering, 'the cause of Christ' demands that we should cry aloud and spare not. 'The peace and happiness of society' call on us to lift up the voice and proclaim upon the house tops that since the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-six, no man has been so vile. Has it come to this, my breethering, that we cannot lay our corner-stones without its being said that liberty and religion work against slavery and vice? We will all point our fingers against the base insinuator. It is time that the elect should speak out and rebuke such heresy. Baptists should look out from among themselves, men who are opposed to 'popular hobbies' and who will spew evil politicians out of their mouths entirely. Let us pray!"

Keep up the pious dodge, gentlemen, by all means. This fellow will set the bones of the Pharisees thrashing in their graves.

To the Editor of the Chicago Tribune.

The *Times* of this date uses the following language, in reference to an article or series of articles lately copied by the TRIBUNE, from the *N. Y. American Baptist.* "It is well understood that what the TRIBUNE copied was not written by the editor of the paper, but by one C. N. Holden, a member of John Wentworth's administration!" Please allow me to state, through your columns that I did not write any one of the articles referred to, and that I saw them first in the TRIBUNE of the 29th ult. The *Times* man and myself have both missed our chances of immortality by not being editors of religious newspapers.

Very respectfully,
C. N. HOLDEN.

Chicago, August 1, 1857.

Satanic Rejoicings.

A special dispatch in one of the New York papers, says that there is great rejoicing in Washington over the probable disruption of the British Empire in India. As we expected, the Slavery propagandists in this country who hate the constitutional government of England with an intensity that is gauged by the noble philanthropic efforts which England has put forth for the good of the human race, are exultant. The danger which now seems to threaten her immense Asiatic possessions, and the possibility that the kingdoms which she has wrenched from slavery and barbarism, and given to industry and good government, may again lapse into the condition in which the East India Company found them, fill their pious hearts with joy that they cannot conceal. The distant prospect that Thuggism may once more be restored, that Caste may crush out all social and political progress, that the wheels of Juggernaut will be again drawn over prostrate necks of deluded idolaters, that human bodies may again smoke on the sacrificial altar, that the murder of children and the burning of widows will be again legalized, that Slavery, only a little less terrible and debasing than that nurtured in our South, may be re-established, is quite too much of a good thing to be passed without appropriate rejoicing! Every exultant shout will carry home to the American people a deeper conviction of the identity of despotism everywhere. It is true that parties as well as persons are known by the company they keep.

A Case Under the Black Law.

(Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.)

WASHINGTON CO., Ill., July 29, 1857.

Messrs. Editors: Will you permit me to inform you that a great reformation is taking place among the negro-hating portion of our population. Since the beheading of the Missouri fugitive, who, with his dying breath, tremulously said: "I served my master faithfully for twenty-four years, and because I wanted my freedom I have been brought to this," there appears to be a disposition to manifest a less degree of cruelty in their intercourse with the colored race. Perhaps not so much through any principle of humanity, as through fear of the righteous indignation of a generous public.

I say this not that I have an exhibition of a common humanity toward the negro to tell of; far from it. But because some of this negro-hating set have manifested a disposition to exhibit, in their intercourse with the colored population, a less degree of barbarism. And revolting as are the developements which I am about to make to the sensibilities of a moral man, yet the slightest favorable deviation from the barbarism of negro killing and beheading, is sufficient inducement to the philanthropist to cause him to "thank God and take courage."

The facts of the case are about these. A poor old hoary Negro, from down the river, had succeeded in purchasing first the freedom of his wife, then of himself, and by dint of industry and rigid economy, had in addition amassed the snug little sum of $750.

Wishing to change his residence and remove to a more Northern climate, he wended his way to our own fertile State. Elated with the idea of escaping the degradation of servitude, and hoping to find repose amidst the "home of the brave in the land of the free," he fell in company with one manifesting a deep solicitude in his welfare, and proffering all necessary assistance in procuring a "home, sweet home." Arriving at a thriving little town on the Illinois Central R. R., he was taken to the principal proprietor of the place, and forthwith a strip of land, said not to be worth $50, was immediately sold him for $300, and a further contract made, and a cabin erected for him which swept the balance of his money. However, courage nerved the old man's arm, and hope kindled in his eye as he reflected on his happy condition in obtaining a home in a state where slavery is not known, and where his cabin is his castle.

Now mark the sequel. It is suddenly discovered that our laws do not permit persons of color to settle amongst us, and the old man is forthwith informed that he must gather up his "plunder" and leave, or the laws would be enforced against him. What was he to do? Go he must. His all had been invested in his pitiful home; to sell he could not, and to go without money was equally impossible. Relief soon came. Generosity warmed the heart of him, who had wheedled the confiding negro out of his money, and with a liberality which it is to be hoped will find no equal, he loaned the old man $100 with which to escape his persecutors, taking a lien on all the property, as security.

The last that was seen of the poor, old creature and his equally poor companion, they were crouchingly and tremblingly entering the cars for the north, hoping as God's free children to find some place of repose upon God's free earth.

Had they been dogs with ordinary animal instinct they would have been treated with kindness and caresses. But as they were only human beings surmounting the difficulties attending the condition of their race, they were first swindled, and then driven like wild beasts away.

It is but just to say that the majority of the people of that thriving little town condemn the conduct of the landlord. He, in extenuation of the fault, pleads ignorance of the statuatory provision with regard to the settlement of people of color in our State. If that were really the case, why did he not in all honesty restore the negro his money and take back the property? But ignorance? what a plea for an M. D., and a prominent democratic candidate for the State Legislature. O, Democracy to what hast thou fallen, when thy principles teach a morality which causes humanity to weep tears of blood.

UPPER EGYPT.

Missouri Election.

The gubernatorial election comes off in Missouri to-day, and the St. Louis *Intelligencer* of Friday last thus foreshadows the result:

We are now entirely confident of Rollins' triumphant election; but be the result of the canvass what it may, it will be universally admitted that Rollins has made a most remarkable and brilliant canvass. He has surprised the whole State by his eloquence and his transcendent ability, and securely gained the position of the first orator in the West.

In this opinion the *Democrat* substantially agrees, though it is more guarded in its method of expression.

PROFITS OF DR. KANE'S FIRST AND SECOND NARRATIVE.—Messrs. Childs and Peterson, the Philadelphia publishers of Dr. Kane's last book of Arctic explorations have, as we have before stated, paid the family of the deceased explorer $60,000, or one dollar a copy, as his share of the profits of the publication. It is a little singular, and not at all in keeping with Dr. Kane's sanguine temperament, that during the printing of the work, he was troubled at the profuseness of the illustrations and the costliness of the type, which his publishers had adopted; and so apprehensive was he of loss, that he offered to sell them his entire interest for $5,000, which proposition they declined. The Doctor's apprehension was founded on the limited profits of the published narrative of his first Arctic explorations; which, as we are told did not exceed $700. It appears that in preparing his later work, he had underrated the vast increase of his reputation and the extent of public interest in his exploits.—*New York Post.*

DEATH OF COMMODORE NEWTON.—Our community will not soon recover from the shock which it received yesterday afternoon, by the sudden death of Commodore John T. Newton, whose courtesy, accomplishments, bravery, and gallant bearing in the most trying situations have added so much lustre to the American navy. He was a member of one of the Naval Courts of Inquiry now sitting in this city, and at the time of its adjournment, at noon yesterday, appeared to be in the enjoyment of his customary vigorous health. On leaving the Court, he walked to the residence of Charles Winder, Esq., and in a few minutes after entering the house of that gentleman he was stricken with apoplexy—surviving the attack only two hours. Commodore Newton entered the navy [illegible] 1809, and at the time of his death was about 63 years old.—*Wash. Union, 29th.*

The Struggle in India.

Result of British Rule in the East.

[From the N. Y. Courier and Enquirer.]

There is no longer any doubt that the British Empire in India is in serious peril. Its authority is denied in one part of the peninsula, and its prestige is shaken in all parts. At the last advices, which we publish this morning, the rebels were still in possession of Delhi, and the open mutiny had spread to several other regiments of the Bengal army in the north-western provinces, so that the losses were computed to amount to twenty-eight thousand men. The disaffection had become so wide-spread, that in the Punjab, all the native regiments have been disarmed, among which were some that had in times past done the British power as much service as any native regiments in the Indian army. The home government manifestly realizes the necessity of the promptest and most energetic action. Not twenty-four hours elapsed after the reception of its last despatches, before Sir Colin Campbell, of Crimean memory, was commissioned a new Commander-in-Chief, and starts for his command. And he is to be immediately followed by a large force of infantry, cavalry, and artillery. Fourteen thousand troops are already under orders for India; and other reinforcements will be sent as soon as ships and stores can be got ready. The public mind of England is greatly exercised upon the new aspect of affairs, and is imposing tremendous responsibilities upon the Palmerston government.

This rebellion is a matter which not only vitally interests England, but may well excite the concern of all Christendom. It cannot be pretended that the British administration of India has been in all respects what it ought to have been, but nevertheless it is a matter of vast consequence to civilization that this region should not revert to its ancient regime. History has had quite enough of the Emperors of Delhi, the Nabobs of the Carnatic, the Chiefs of Mysore, the Nizams of the Deccan, the Vizers of Oude, the Mahratta Chiefs, the Nabobs of Bengal *et id omne genus.* The British East India Company, delinquent as it has been in a thousand respects, has yet proved itself a thousand times more worthy of the respect and confidence of every friend of human progress. The fact is certain that less than a century of British rule has wrought a most marked change for the better in a land which had been sinking in degradation and wretchedness since the times of Agamemnon and Nebuchadnezzar.—Internal warfare and spoliation have been stopped; Thuggism has been annihilated; the Suttee has been quenched; the human sacrifices to Juggernaut have been ended; hook-swingings have been suppressed; infanticide has been stopped; the avenues to education and to social influence have been opened to woman; a system of public instruction has been established; a system of police and criminal law, worked mainly by Asiatics, has been put in operation, decidedly superior to that of any other European country, and daily improving; a simple and precise registration of landed property has been instituted: works of internal improvement, especially railroads for transit and canals for drainage and irrigation, have been mightily extended. A dominion that has wrought such ameliorations and conferred such advantages as these, may well be pardoned for a multitude of their short-comings and imperfections. If it be said that under the British rule, the natives have no share in making laws for themselves, little in administering them, except in very subordinate offices—that they can rise to no high station, civil or military—that they are everywhere regarded as an inferior race, and often rather as vassals or servants than as the ancient owners and masters of the country, it is yet to be remembered that under the old Princes, the *people* had no share in making laws for themselves, that the native subjects therefore have not lost anything in that respect, and that as the laws are better administered than before, the people at large have no reason to regret the change of agency. Although the actual Government is unavoidably absolute in form, the great interests of society are guarded by laws that are regularly and impartially administered; there is neither tyranny nor caprice, for the spirit of the common law has passed over the waters, and is scarcely less prevailing at Calcutta than in London. The indignant outcry that was made in England two or three years since by the Parliamentary commission, that torture had been used by some of the native tax-gatherers to collect the land taxes in the Madras Presidency, and the prompt measures that were taken by the Government to put an end to the abuse, forcibly illustrated how emphatically British justice asserts itself over the old system. The greatest charge against British sway in India, is the frequency with which its conquering sword has been drawn from its scabbard. But in the main, this has been the result of actual necessity. British India never could be marked out on the map and governed like other countries by the ordinary machinery of a domestic system. In the close neighborhood of numerous races who are at once divided against themselves by antagonistic interests, and united against the rulers of India by a common faith, the government is as much a matter of intricate policy from without as of control and organization from within. To this curious position of an empire won and sustained in the midst of jealous and hostile tribes, rather than to a voluntary policy, may be ascribed the fact of its rapid and ever increasing extension. This extension seems in fact to be an inevitable condition of its existence. It has been necessary for the British to advance their dominions farther and farther for the mere protection of what they already possessed. Feuds on the border must be subjugated as a safeguard against the infection of rebellion at home. When protection was repaid by injury or insult, the exaction of punishment or compensation was literally a measure of self preservation. To have submitted to a wrong or betrayed a fear, would have been to invite a danger, the remote issues of which might have perilled the fruits of a thousand victories. And thus, through a series of complicated transactions, in which we see the ally, with few exceptions, become transformed into the foe, and the mediator into the master,—the British Empire in India presents the singular spectacle of a country deriving its internal safety from external agitation, and its strength and unity from the compulsory extension of its territories, elsewhere a source of weakness and disaster.

Denounced by other nations as the British rule in India has been, and often with too good reason, yet its extinction could not fail as being received as a great calamity. The relapse of that portion of the earth's surface into the thrall of its own dynasties, would drive it back in the path of civilization a thousand years. Every friend of his race must deprecate it.

Dreadful Occurrence—A Boy Eaten up by a Bear, almost within the City Limits.

[From the Detroit Free Press, Friday.]

We have succeeded, with some difficulty, in learning the particulars of a shocking occurrence, which took place on the Hamtramck marshes on last Tuesday, in which a boy eleven years old, was actually eaten up alive by a bear, within sight of the city. The circumstances of the case are as follows: A man named Joseph Rademacher, a German, living on Macomb street, between Rivard and Russell, went out on Tuesday morning, in company with a little brother, to pick raspberries. They carried their dinners with them, and went some five or six miles out, before commencing their day's work. Rademacher deposited his dinner-basket and coat on the ground, and employed himself for some time in picking berries, when, his attention being attracted by a noise, he looked around, and to his intense astonishment, saw a large she bear, accompanied by three cubs, engaged in devouring his dinner. It was but the work of a moment to drop his basket of berries and hurry, with his younger brother, away from the spot. He saw two boys not far from him when he left the spot, but said nothing to them. Before himself and brother had got a safe distance they heard terrible screams in the direction they had left, which only served to accelerate their pace, and place a greater distance between them and danger. They were soon overtaken by one of the boys, who came rushing up bewildered with fright, screaming that the bear was eating up his brother. Rademacher received this intelligence in utter dismay, and took to his heels with a will, followed by the two boys, and deserting the sufferer to his fate. The cowardly race soon brought them to the city, when they spread the alarm, and a large party was quickly formed for the rescue, which proceeded to the scene of the disaster, accompanied by Rademacher and the father of the unfortunate boy. A long search resulted in finding the remains of the boy, the bear having eaten up about half of the corpse, and buried the rest for a future meal. Remnants of his clothes were scattered around, together with Rademacher's coat, torn to pieces. A general hunt was commenced with a view of finding the bear, which has been continued up to the present time without success. The boy was Irish or German, we are not certain which. His name also we have been unable to learn, but shall ascertain it to-day. His brother, a boy of thirteen, stated that they almost stumbled over the bear before they saw him at all, when she suddenly turned with a savage growl and seized the one who was nearest. A word of warning from Rademacher when he commenced his flight would have saved the boy, but he was too frightened to do anything but run.

The bear was a large and powerful one, and must have been excited to great hunger to commit so bold a deed. The contemplation of such an occurrence, happening almost within the limits of a city of $70,000 inhabitants, is sickening and terrible. Wild bears have become a rarity in most parts of the State, yet we are visited in the very metropolis by one that perpetrates a deed that belongs only to the early annals of our history. It is to be hoped that such visits will be rare in future.

A CASE OF LYNCHING.—Yesterday afternoon we heard of a case of lynching which took place about two miles from Benjaminville, in this county a few nights ago. The facts, as they were given us by a gentleman in whose word we place entire confidence, are these: A man named Robert Renner, a well-to-do farmer, having for a long time abused and neglected his family, his neighbors concluded to punish him for his misconduct. A party of them accordingly went to his house in the night and took him outside where they whipped him severely, and when they released him they promised a repetition of the punishment in case of future abuse to his wife and children. He promised to do better in future, but his conduct after being whipped was, if possible, worse than before, and there were serious thoughts of lynching him the second time; but the death of his wife and child, which happened last Thursday, saved him from further punishment. They died of scurvy, caused by unwholesome food, which they were compelled to eat to sustain life. Renner has two other children living—but it is said they cannot survive long under the treatment to which their brutal father subjects them. Renner moved from Pennsylvania to this State about two years ago. He formerly lived near Pittsburgh.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

AFFAIRS IN ST. LOUIS.

Fall of a Building—Two Stores Burned.

On Thursday about noon, the front floors and two thirds of the front wall of Monks & Ghio's, wholesale liquor store on Second street fell out with a terrific crash, burying four men in the ruins and spilling innumerable barrels of whiskey into the street. The *Democrat* of Friday has the following account of the disaster:

At about half-past 12, a gentleman of the Washington foundry opposite, standing near his place, heard a quick cracking, and looking up, saw in the wall of the building a sudden opening along the line of the fourth floor. While he ran, it was instantly succeeded by the descent of the whole wall, from the cornice to the pavement!

Five persons were in the building. Mr. Monks and his son William of seventeen years, standing at a desk on the second floor preparing to make a bank deposit, had scarcely a premonition they were in the midst of the ruins. Mr Monks was forced to a side wall and fixed there by a fallen timber against his leg, amid a shower of falling lumber, whisky barrels and bricks. His son was prostrated at a distance of several feet from him by a violent blow upon the breast. The gathering spectators were appalled at beholding him at one time in an inverted position, helpless amid the tumbling masses.

On the first floor, Mr. Samuel Jackson, an old, well known, highly respectable and very worthy citizen, was sitting not far from the door. As he sprang in alarm for the street he was struck to the pavement by the stone lintel falling from above. He fell with his face downward, the weight of the immense stone partially resting upon him, with a piece of glass singularly caught between the stone and his back. His son, who a moment previous had passed the store, had returned, knowing that his father was in peril and was instantly standing over the old man, vainly imploring the spectators to assist in his rescue. So imminent was the risk that for a time none dared to venture! On the third floor two porters were at work; Peter Skencers, a Swiss, and Ghio, the latter a nephew of Mr. J. B. Ghio of the firm. The first ran to the rear, and so escaped all injury. Young Ghio was tumbled downward with the ruins, and not until the others were extricated was he picked up and borne to the rear of the Central exchange bar-room on Broadway. Mr. J. B. Ghio was absent from the catastrophe.

Mr. J. A. Monks was removed with only external bruises on the head, face, right arm and leg. His son was more severely bruised in the chest and other parts of the body, but not dangerously. They were conveyed, pallid with fright and violence, in a carriage to their residence, as 250 Pine street. Mr. Jackson was taken to his family—a wife and six children—on Twelfth street, between Clark avenue and Spruce street. The cut he received from the glass bottle was a deep and an ugly one. Fragments of the glass were extracted from the wound, one of which was an inch and a half square. The ragged incision, which bled most profusely, was sewed up—and the patient otherwise attended to—by Dr. Montgomery, of the office near the corner of Green and Fourth streets. His patient is some sixty years of age.

As for poor Ghio, his face, head, eyes, arms, breast and abdomen were subjected to repeated and violent concussions. His life was at first considered in imminent danger. Dr. Reilly administered to him, and last evening pronounced him in a hopeful condition.

On Thursday evening a fire broke out which the *Democrat* thus describes:

At about eleven o'clock last night, fire again visited the city, first appearing in the upper part of Messrs. Beard & Brother's scales store on Second street, between Locust and Vine, east side. The building—a small brick one of two stories, adjourned on the north a four story brick, which the firm also occupied, in connection with a foundry and machine shop in the rear, as a manufactory of safes, scales, pumps, hydrants, etc. The upper room of the small building was also a workshop. Next, north, is the Frederick house, and south the liquor store of L. Lodgeumeir & Hoeber. The front buildings of Beard & Brothers were chiefly destroyed; the firemen succeeded in saving a portion of their ruins, the rear buildings, and those closely adjacent on each side.

The front buildings were owned by Thomas Emerson, who resides in the country, and was absent. He was not long since insured for $3,000. Messrs. Beard & Brothers own the rear buildings. Their whole stock they roughly estimate at $15,000, of which the loss will exceed one-half. They have insurance for $6,000, taken by Budd's agency, partly at Pittsburg and partly at Philadelphia.

The origin of the fire is not known. The frequency of incendiarism renders that—which should be the last—the first supposition in the case.

The firemen had a merry time of it. We saw three streams of water despising the fire and assailing the stars. Of course they came down in showers partly upon the fire, but much upon the admiring multitude. Amid hurrah choruses, and sky washings, curses and brickbats were, so far as we saw, left to the fire imps down below.

Improved Railroads.

[For the Chicago Daily Tribune.]

Messrs. Editors: Having obtained permission to leave a model in the Hall of the Mechanic's Institute for public inspection, which exhibits a new method of constructing railroads—to give due notice of the fact, and it seems desirable that some explanation of the principles upon which it is based, should accompany this model. The following remarks are designed for that purpose, which I would thank you to publish:

"The object of a railroad is to provide the best facilities, by means of an iron way, to move heavy bodies at high velocities, and as this object embraces the transportation of human beings as well as merchandize, *safety* and *economy* are the great practical results required. The almost daily record of the loss of life, and the constant recurrence of accidents on railroads, are strong proofs that the present railroad system is far from possessing that degree of mechanical perfection which should be obtained. The causes are obvious, but they are of such a character that they can only be removed by an entire change in the system. In explaining the nature of this change, which is attempted to be illustrated by the model in question, the following practical comparison of the old and new systems is addressed to the attention of those who feel interested in the subject:

OLD SYSTEM.	NEW SYSTEM.
1st. Track with two rails of 60lbs to the yard, each fastened to ties, the centre of gravity very high, the guage being usually 4 feet 8½ inches, and the principal weight above the axles, hence the load is top-heavy, and the breaking of a rail, of a wheel or axle, or running off the track from any other cause, frequently results in upsetting the locomotive and cars, with all the loss and terrible consequences which follow.	1st. Tracks with four rails of 30 lbs to the yard, each fastened to continuous timbers, double the ordinary guage, and the centre of gravity in the locomotive below the axles, hence there is no tendency to upset, whilst the frame work of the machine is so near the track that no fracture of rails, wheels, or axles, or being thrown off of it from other causes, could possibly produce serious results.
2d. A locomotive of 20 tons, resting upon eight wheels, or points, if the weight were equally divided, presses upon the surface in contact equal to about 2½ tons; but as one-fourth of the weight only rests upon the truck. Each driving wheel usually supports from 3 to 4 tons, a pressure which experience has shown, upon railroads of considerable traffic, to destroy a common T rail in eight years.	2. A locomotive of 20 tons, having eight driving wheels, would subject each wheel to a pressure of only 1¼ tons, the four outside wheels would each sustain one ton. The durability of these rails from diminished pressure and other causes, existing under the new arrangement, would be four fold, even with a much larger traffic.
3d. The irregularities of motion inseparable from the conical wheel with two rails, the aggravation of their irregularities under a high centre of gravity, increasing as the squares of the velocities and combined with the great strain upon the machinery incidental to curves, rendered more severe by the reciprocal action of the pistons on each side of the centre of the locomotive, are so severe upon every part that all the rolling stock is very heavy and self-destructive, and subject to constant repairs.	3. The uniformity of motion produced by the adoption of four rails and cylindrical wheels, the prevention of lateral momentum, the broad guage and freedom of action on curves, whilst the pistons act upon the centre, ensures durability and much greater economy in the daily operation of the the road. The rolling stock can also be made much lighter, and will contribute to the same advantages.
4th. By the narrow guage cars are of limited width and fatiguing for night travelling.	4th. By the adoption of the new system, the width of cars would render them more commodious and adapted for long journeys.

RICH. P. MORGAN.

A CHILD LEFT TO PERISH IN THE WOODS—THE HEARTLESS PARENTS DISCOVERED—LYNCHING THREATENED.—On Sunday last, a lad picking raspberries in the town of Chemung, heard a strange noise in the bushes. It frightened him, and he called for aid, when it was ascertained that the noise proceeded from an infant, placed upon a bare rock. The child was taken care of by the Poormaster, Mr. Phineas Rogers, and removed to the Poor house on Monday. The Superintendent of the Poor proceeded to Chemung and investigated the mystery, when it was ascertained that the father of the child was a married man, named H. B. Rogers, and its mother—a Miss Hoover—together with its grandmother, had placed the helpless infant in the woods, where they supposed it would die, and thus hide the shame of the illicit intercourse between the unnatural parents. The child was returned from the Poor-house, and the guilty father held for its support. All the parties connected with the disgraceful affair have heretofore maintained a very correct deportment, and are members of the Baptist Church. The people of Chemung were justly incensed at the conduct of the mother and grandmother, and there were some serious threats of lynching.—*Elmira Gazette.*

PRESIDENT PIERCE'S SALEM DRIVE—TOPSY WORKIN'S GO.—The quidnuncs have been quite merry for a few days, over a funny incident which happened to Ex-President Pierce, in this city, last week. When the distinguished gentleman came here to call upon his friend, Dr. Loring, he went to one of the livery stables to procure a team to take him over to the Doctor's farm. He was accordingly furnished with one of the best animals in the stable, and, jumping into the vehicle, gathered up the reins for a fair start. The mare, however, as the story goes, which had never before manifested any obstinacy or viciousness, or ill-temper, happening to look around, on getting into the street, and to see that Frank Pierce was in the vehicle, determined that the Ex-President was too great a load for her to carry, and absolutely refused to budge an inch. No persuasion or force could induce her to start, and she was actually taken back to the stable and another animal substituted. By a singular coincidence the mare has always been known by the name of Topsy.

Slavery in Kansas—Letter from Senator Mason of Virginia.

WINCHESTER, VA., July 22, 1857.

To the Editors of the "South:"

DEAR SIR:—In your paper of Monday last in an article headed "Walker's Usurpation," I observe the following paragraph:

"But we are told that Hunter and Mason, and other distinguished Southern Senators, in the debate on the Nebraska-Kansas bill, expressed the same opinion that Kansas must be a free State."

I cannot undertake to say what opinions may have been expressed by my honored colleague, or by other senators from the South, in reference to the probable condition of Kansas; though, from a general knowledge of their views in regard to that Territory, I should not doubt that any opinions so expressed would have reference to circumstances and contingencies necessarily qualifying them. To avoid misconstruction, however, I think it proper to say that I never expressed the opinion thus attributed to me. At the time the law passed organizing the territorial government, there were few with whom I conversed who did not believe that the future State would take its place with those recognizing and cherishing the condition of African slavery. There was at that time, certainly, every reason to believe why this should be so, and none why it should not. The State of Missouri, bordering its eastern frontier, was a slaveholding State, holding at that time nearly one hundred thousand slaves, and these were chiefly held in the border counties.

The state of Arkansas, adjacent to the territory on the south, was likewise a slaveholding state. The soil and climate of Kansas were well adapted to those valuable products, chiefly hemp and tobacco, which gave value to slave labor in Missouri. The proximity of its population, with the attractions of new, fertile and cheap land, I believed would lead the slaveholders in Missouri to diffuse themselves speedily over Kansas, and the prohibitory line of 36 30 being obliterated, there was no reason why they should not. I had no fear of fair competition in such appropriation of the new territory from any quarter. Unfair competition I did not look to.

What may yet be the result as to the condition of Kansas, notwithstanding the extraordinary and unscrupulous efforts of Northern Abolitionists to force a population there, I cannot undertake to say. Nor will I allude in this place to the new and unexpected aspect now exhibited of affairs in that territory, with so much propriety reprehended in the columns of the "*South.*" Whatever may be the information of others, I certainly am not sufficiently informed of the existing state of things in Kansas to form a clear opinion one way or the other; yet I will venture to say this much, that if African slavery be ultimately excluded from Kansas, it will be effected by the numerical force or organized majorities, operating against the usual laws which govern emigration; and will present a new and most instructive lesson to the Southern States.

Very respectfully, I am yours, &c., &c.,
J. M. MASON.

Banking—New Points of Law.

[From the N. Y. Courier & Enquirer.]

There are new phases in banking occurring almost daily and requiring great watchfulness on the part of tellers and other bank officers. A case occurred a few weeks since among two up-town banks which is somewhat novel. Bank A. discounted a note for one of their customers, purporting to be made by a merchant, a customer of bank B. where it was made payable. At its maturity the note was sent to bank B. for payment, and was duly certified by the paying teller, and then paid in the exchanges. After the lapse of three weeks or a month, the note being charged to the customers account, it was discovered that the maker's name was a forgery. Bank A. was called upon to refund the money therefore; but declined on the ground that Bank B. in certifying and paying the note, assumed its validity or genuineness; and thus guarranteed the signature of their own customer.

This is in accordance with recent decisions of the English and American Courts, whereby a bank paying a forged check of one of their own customers, guarrantees its genuineness. In the present case bank B has recourse upon the endorsers of the note in question, but not upon bank A, and if the endorsers are men of straw, the loss falls upon the former.

Another highly important case has been decided by the Supreme Court of this State, viz: Where the holder of a promissory note sent it when due to the bank at which it was payable, and the bank erroneously supposing the maker to be in funds, credited the holder with the amount, on discovering its mistake the next day, corrected it, and served the endorsers with notice of nonpayment. It was held by the Supreme Court of New York, in an action on the note against the endorsers, that it had not been paid, and that due steps had been taken to charge them so as to render them liable.

Here the note is payable at a particular place, a personal demand is not essential. It is the business of the maker to furnish funds at the place, ready to take up the paper on the day it falls due; and if the holder, or any one for him, is there with it, so that he may be in a situation and ready to receive the money and give up the note, it sufficient. See Lalor's Supplement to Hill & Denio, Troy City Bank *vs.* Grant.

It has been erroneously supposed that the new law of this State in reference to grace on time bills, applies to ordinary commercial paper. This is not the case. The old rule as to three days grace is still in force as to all drafts *except those upon banking institutions.* Some have supposed that bills or drafts upon individuals or firms made payable at specific day, were by the new statute, not entitled to grace. It will be found, to, that in this particular the old practice is maintained. A draft drawn payable on the 29th of August, for instance, is entitled to three days grace.

The Form of the Continents.

The scientific circles at Cambridge have been recently interested in an observation of Professor Pierce, not yet published, upon the form of the Continents. If we elevate a terrestrial globe until the Arctic and Antartic circles are tangent to the wooden horizen, and then cause the globe slowly to revolve, we shall find that a majority of the lines of elevation in the earth's crust—i. e., coast lines and mountain ranges—will, either as they rise or as they go down, coincide in passing with the wooden horizon. For example, the main coast of the United States tending northeast will, if carried on in a great circle, graze the Arctic circle, and the coast of Florida and Labrador tending northwest will graze it on the other side. The same is true of the east coasts of South America and Africa, the coasts of the Red Sea, of Italy, of the Black Sea, of Hindostan, of New Zeland, &c. The Arctic and Antartic circles are also coast lines, being always tangent to the horizon.

It is almost impossible to exaggerate the importance of this fine discovery, proving as it does, by geological facts, that the obliquity of the ecliptic has been essentially unchanged since the dawn of creation, and that solar heat was the agent to carry out the command on the second day to let the dry land appear. The line of separation between light and darkness, between solar heat and the coolness of night, traveling daily for two months in summer, and again for two months in winter, in such a position as to coincide in passing with the lines of upheaval, indicates unmistakably that it was connected with the determination of those lines—the slight expansion and shrinking being sufficient to determine the line of rupture of the crust. From a comparison of the forms of the continents Professor Pierce also draws the order of their upheaval; showing, for instance, that the Western Continent is older than Europe, and that the Gulf Stream during the second day of creation caused the great variety of outline in that continent.—*Christain Examiner for July.*

NOTHING TO WEAR.—The readers of the *Mirror* are aware of a most extraordinary circumstance attending the authorship of the clever poem, known by the title of "Nothing to Wear." The verse was so bounding, the knowledge of female attire so intimate, the satirical vein so silvery and bright, and the moral so excellent, that it took the town by storm. There was not a reading family in New York seized upon it at once, and many a fair young woman was told to read it and behold herself. Considerable curiosity existed as to the authorship. The Harpers kept the secret as well as they could—much astonished, by the by, at the quarter from which the article came to them. Finally, like La Grange, when called by her enraptured audience before the curtain, to receive their homage, Mr. Butler was dragged out of his incognito, and acknowledged "the corn." Scarcely has his head been covered with "green baize" before Mr. Peck comes forward, and claims that his daughter, a small measure of himself, is the veritable author of the poem. He gives the particulars of its origin, scraps of the first drafts, and shows how a piece of the manuscript in an omnibus it passed into other hands.

Mr. Butler being recalled to the footlights for an explanation, assures us in a few neat remarks that he is the sole author, and in confirmation he lays his hand on his heart like his father before him. It is now become a question of veracity between a learned and much esteemed lawyer on the one hand, (his family a connection of the muses,) and a clergyman from whom we expect truth in all its sanctity. It is an exciting affair on a small scale; a literary imposture somewhere, which will keep up much inquiry until it is detected. It is a curious circumstance that there is in the poem an evident intimacy with the peculiarity of a ladies wardrobe, which was noticed by many readers at the time, and which it was thought impossible for a man to know, unless his own wife had taken particular pains to introduce him into her confidence extensively. The general impression was that a lady was inside of the hoops.—*N. Y. Mirror.*

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MONDAY MORNING.............AUGUST 3.

Fashionable Intelligence.
[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]
NEW YORK, July 27, 1857.

THE FASHIONABLE WORLD OUT OF TOWN.

At this season when all the world is out of town, New York presents anything but a striking aspect in point of fashionable importance. Fifth Avenue is deserted, Broadway tenanted by a curious medley, including the unfortunate husbands, and fathers of families "out of town," and the fag-end of all creation beside. The principal stores are unvisited, save by some stray old lady from the suburbs, or an extra-economical housewife, who seizes the opportunity to make some "bargains;" while the few clerks left in charge, elevate their eyebrows at the disgust of their customers, and languidly swear that staying in town at this season of the year is an insufferable "bore." Of course, fashion in the metropolis is very oddly represented, and would be much more *picturesque* on canvass than on paper. The bright blue bonnets, and green dresses, the red shawls and yellow gloves are quite overwhelming, and the attempts in the way of hoops surprising. An amusing circumstance occurred the other evening in connection with them.

A young lady was invited to go to the theatre and determined to make her first effort in an expansive direction; not being aware that one hoop was not just as good as another, and, in fact, ignorant of the arbitrary distinctions which exist in the minds of fastidious people, she selected a *barrel* with light *wooden* hoops, which she thought would *just do*, and after carefully hammering them off, inserted them in her best white skirt, and put it on with great internal satisfaction. In due time her beau arrived, and expressed his profound appreciation of the effect produced by the ejaculation of "My eye!" and both walked off in a state of great delight, and firmly believing they were destined to create an intense sensation, and so they were, but not exactly in the way they expected. There was a great crowd in the parquette where the gentleman and his fair companion tried to seat themselves, and as the curtain had not yet rolled up, the audience were in precisely the right condition to accept a joke. At this opportune moment—crack! crack!! went something in the immediate vicinity of the barrel hoops. The lady moved uneasily in her seat, and crack! crack!! it went again, as if some one was breaking up pine wood sticks; by this time every body's attention was aroused, some were laughing, others yelling, while a lot of mischievous boys, taking the hint, screamed "hoops!" to their heart's content. Every movement brought down one of the screams and added to the distress and mortification of the unfortunate wearer, who, finally rushed from the theatre, followed by the crest-fallen lover, both thoroughly disgusted with the hoop institution.

SUMMER AMUSEMENTS IN THE CITY.

The managements of the different Theatres have are turning their summer entrances and lobbies into receptacles for two or three little stunted bushes, which they call "evergreens," and occasional miniature plaster figures, such as Italian boys carry around on their heads and sell for a shilling apiece, but are called here, with the same delicate perception of a practical joke "statuary." The most extraordinary pains are taken for the benefit of the "million," and all their tastes are consulted. At Wallack's the "Indian Punka" is in full operation every evening, and consists of strips of Nankeen, supported at intervals by pieces of shingle, these are suspended from the ceiling and flap backwards and forwards in the most satisfactory manner. Mr. Stuart also provides pails of water, (and one tumbler) which are carried round, between acts, by little boys, in thoroughly democratic style, and finally has a little jet which spouts up cologne water, into which every one dips his hankerchief, until the question of its original color becomes problematical.

At Burton's the "Promenade Concerts," and the "real" glacier attract crowds; and indeed the amount of breathing room, the unlimited quantity of ice-water, and the *really good* music make it a very pleasant place to "drop in" for an hour or so, and one forgives the "glacier" for being a few "chunks" of "real" ice, which hide their diminished heads before the performance is over.

Madame La Grange having closed her brilliant summer opera season, has retired to Newport, to rest and decide between the many brilliant offers she has received, one of which is to go to Havana, so she will not be likely to return to Europe yet awhile, and, in the meantime, Mr. Stuart and Bourcicault are going to give promenade concerts, *a la Burton*, at the Academy of Music.

SUMMER FASHIONS IN THE COUNTRY.

It is generally conceded that New York was never so generally cleared out as this season, either in consequence of the police difficulties or for some other reason, all who possibly can, have left, or are leaving town; even the washer-woman of a lady friend requested the amount of her "little bill" on the ground that she was "going into the country" for "ricreashun." And though Fashion has disappeared for a time from the precincts of stone pavements, and brick walls. She is flourishing gaily under the shade of stately trees, or is perchance carried into sweeter covers than ever blossomed in a conservatory. It is astonishing how enthusiastically fond of Nature our gay belles become when the emerge from the shell of city life.

"Oh! don't you admire Nature?" said a young lady to a young gentleman on board a steamboat going up the Hudson river. The gentleman assured her that he did "excessively." "Oh! so do I," said the enthusiastic young lady, "I dote upon it. Last week we went on an excursion up the most lovely mountain, and stopped near the top by the side of the *magnificent* little lake. On one side there were such enchanting rocks, and on the other—shrubbery—what-do-you-call-em—Pines I imagine; but I was so delighted there was so much *Nature* about it." And the gentleman unable to express in words bowed his admiration.

But this has little to do with fashions, so I hasten to describe a few.

ELEGANT TOILETTES FOR WATERING PLACES.

For *matinee* or morning costume the materials are jaconet, nankeens, marseilles, (for jackets) and white muslin. A few have been seen made of a small black and white check summer poplin, and in this case the jackets are fancifully trimmed with a border of blue, cherry, or marroon, these are very stylish in effect, but are more suitable for a cooler season. A very pretty style is a skirt of white embroidered muslin, with three flounces, each one terminating in a broad hem through which a malloon ribbon is run. The jacket is of the same material, and is trimmed to match the skirt. The sleeves are composed of a puff, and two frills into which also a narrow ribbon is inserted bias in the same manner. To complete the costume a graceful little scarf mantelet is added, trimmed with a flounce half a yard in depth, and fastened by a bow of mallow ribbon. Most of the dinner coiffures consist of roses, lilacs, violets field-flowers, mountain ash, large daises and sweet-peas.

Among the beautiful bonnets for August is a *fanchon*, made of white crape, embroidered with cheap blue chenill, the effect is indescribably charming, it looks like a shower of pearls. The fanchon is surrounded by a rich blonde, as is the curtain also, and the ornaments are garlands of hyacinths, which cross the front, form a bandeau inside and blend elegantly with the blonde.

Another is of white crape, puffed lengthwise in the most minute and delicate manner, the head small, and of white silk, covered with a blonde star. The ornaments, water-lilies.

A third, still more charming, is made of rice straw, with an open front of white tulle an inch wide. This is covered with blonde, which falls over the forehead and retreats at the sides, passing round under the curtain, which, as well as the head-piece, is made of rice straw, but encloses another made of tulle, to which the blonde is attached. The top of the crown is open, and consists of a light blonde star, placed over tulle, and supporting a handsome aigrette of ivy leaves, long grass, and berries, which float between the hollows of the curtain. Inside there is a blonde bandeau, a lovely white rose with a pink tint and a trail of ivy hanging down.

An exquisite promenade toilette is composed of grey glace with a side strips of rich China blue silk, upon the full skirt. It is accompanied by the "Dubarry" mantle made of white India muslin lace and blue ribbon in the following manner: The plain part is cut in the shape of a shawl point, and has attached to it three flounces of muslin, each terminating in a hem, in which is inserted an inch-wide blue ribbon, and edged with a handsome lace; a lace insertion, finished on each side with a narrow edging, is placed round the junction of the flounces and plain parts and a ribbon run between. It is completed by a hood gathered at the throat, and trimmed with lace and ribbons to correspond. The bonnet, "simple and elegant," is composed of rice straw, and is trimmed with a fall of rich blonde tea and pink roses, and strings of blue silk ribbon.

A very pretty dress for a country ball is composed of three tunic skirts, of white tarlton, finished with a gold band above the hem. The front of the skirt has fifteen narrow lace flounces, commencing in almost a point at the waist, and gradually widening toward the bottom, as the tunics retreat. The waist is low, round and ornamented with lace and a handsome bouquet of field flowers, which terminates in a chatelaine of straggling grass and wild-flowers. The coiffure of field flowers and long grass forms a cordon on the top of the head, tufted at the side.

A new and very pretty shawl has appeared in Paris, and had a great success. It is called the *Haydie*, and is made of black tulle, crossed by a checker-work of small cords in contrasting colors, such as cherry, green, deep blue, orange, buff, or maroon. It terminates in a deep silk fringe, or in a guipure lace.

SOUTHERN AND WESTERN TRADE.

There is an immense amount of humbug practiced in New York under this head, of which Southern and Western dealers would do well to beware.—Most of the goods manufactured for this purpose are old and poor in style, of the worst materials, and thrown together by miserable creatures, at starvation prices. Many large establishments pay twelve cents each for walking bonnets for the Southern trade, including the foundation. In such a place stitches are at a discount, and the materials will harmonize perfectly with the equality of the workmanship. This is true, in proportion, of every other branch of business, and it is time for Southern and Western merchants to enter a protest against such swindling operations.

A Genuine Surprise Party.
[From the Cincinnati Gazette.]

One of our wealthy citizens, residing on Broadway, is known to have numerous eccentricities, the most familiar of which, from a recent event, is his antipathy to all assemblies, particularly in his own house. Several fair relatives, composing part of his household, had used all their eloquence to obtain his permission to a party, just one; but the old gentleman was obdurate. He would take the girls to Europe, or Saratoga, or Newport, or Nahant, get them new sets of *jewelry*—anything but *that*. The young ladies almost despaired; but finally bethought them of obtaining by stratagem what they could not procure by persuasion; for their hearts were fixed upon a party, and a party they must have.

The old gentleman was in the habit of retiring very early and sleeping very soundly, and the girls determined to send out invitations without his knowledge; believing that none of the guests would arrive until the venerable relative was in the embrace of Somnus.

Extensive preparations were the result; an effort was made to give one of the most *recherche* parties of the season. The beautiful and brilliant, the gay and fashionable, the witty and elegant were "bidden to the feast." They came. The luxurious drawing-rooms were splendid with gas light and diamonds, loveliness and gallantry. The air was rich with perfumes of Paris and flowers; and the most cultivated and melodious voices chatted and gossipped; and hundreds of fairy feet swept through the dance; and the swell of music was upon the evening air; when of a sudden a dreadful apparition startled the "merrie companie" as if it had been the hideous Red Death of Poe.

The laugh and love tone were hushed; blood suffused the cheeks and nude necks of the ladies; the dance stood still; the instruments forgot their airs and died in sudden silence. What was that horrid shape. The ladies pointed their white fingers and gazed wildly at the Don. Was it another ghost like that in "Don Giovanni;" or was it a sheeted form from a gaping grave?

By degrees, the vision gathered shape, and looked as a thing of earth. The figure was that of the "head of the family," with no superfluous clothing upon his limbs save a single garment could be so considered, standing there some in bland wrath upon his brow.

He advanced into the drawing-room and begun [illegible]

cane above his head as if he would annihilate somebody. His model artistic costume seemed to strike the fair guests with horror; they covered their faces and screamed. Old gentlemen swore the louder, and moving further into the apartments, a general stampede took place. Ottomans and chairs were overturned, and in twenty seconds the late crowded rooms were deserted.

Carriage after carriage rolled away in rapid succession, and the house was soon darkened, and, to all appearances, deserted.

The fair relatives of the wealthy humorist departed from the city the next evening after this *contre-temps*, and have not since returned.

The affair is still laughed at on Fourth street, and the color brightens upon the cheek of more than one belle, when she is asked to relate her experience at the surprise party.

California Finances.

There is still a liberal supply of gold from California, and there is no likelihood of its diminution. The soil and rocks are still filled with the precious metal, and it only needs human labor, judiciously employed, to procure it. But with all its natural wealth, there is scarcely a State in the Union more depressed than California. The flush days are past, and speculation is at a discount. The reaction is serious, and almost destructive. There have been more failures in that State than in any other community of the same population in the Union.—Thousands who have left the old States to establish themselves there, have returned to their former homes, a little richer in experience and wisdom, but much poorer in pocket.

It will surprise all to learn that, during the first six months of this year, the total nett gain to the population of California by immigration was only 4,295, and of these, more than one-half were Chinese, who are regarded as anything but a useful class of population, and not at all calculated to promote the interests of the State. Thus it will be seen that the nett gain of people of European race, during six months, was only about two thousand persons—men women and children. Commerce has fallen off in like manner. The tonnage arrived from home Atlantic ports during the first and second quarters of this year, was 57,588 tons, against 79,128 tons in 1856, and 78,192 tons in 1855. The tonnage from foreign ports during the same period was 49,706 tons in 1857, against 64,877 tons in 1856. The arrivals of tonnage coastwise, during the first half of 1857, were 79,776 tons, against 65,181 tons in 1856. The total tonnage arrived from all quarters during the six months closed, was 209,540 tons, against [illegible] tons in 1856. The decrease has been, as it appears above, in the trade with home Eastern and foreign ports.

Yet greatly as the commerce of the chief port of California has fallen off, it has been far in excess of the wants of the State. The markets are completely overstocked with goods of all kinds, and the news of more cargoes shipped from Eastern ports is received as something calamitous. Eastern speculators and shippers, by continuing to send goods to an over-supplied market, are contributing to the general distress there, and sinking money themselves. The persistence with which they have pursued this course is surprising; for evils of this kind generally remedy themselves promptly. But the California markets have been overstocked for years, and Eastern shippers, not profitting by the sad experience of the past, are still sending thither large supplies of goods of every description. The remedy must come eventually, and it cannot be far off now. But the losses and the failures that have already occurred in California probably exceed those of any other population of the same size within a like period of time.

After this season of trial is past, we look for the real beginning of the substantial prosperity of California. The people there are now schooled to sober views of life, of business, and of society. The gold fever has subsided and the influx of new population does not exceed the demand as was the case in former times. The state and its society are getting into a better state of organization. The country is outgrowing its primitive wilderness state; farms are spreading, roads are made, bridges are built and steamboats are running. With a climate and soil unsurpassed anywhere in the world, California, even without her gold deposits, could not fail to become in time a prosperous and wealthy state. She has suffered from too much vigor, too much enthusiasm in her youth. She is now suffering for and repenting of her excesses. She will gradually settle down into a sober, serious community, earnestly bent on substantial prosperity and not carried away by bubbles. But what she most wants is a railroad to connect her with the Eastern States. This would act as a great regulator of commerce and of society, both of which are disturbed by the delays and precariousness of intercourse by means of the passage around the Horn, or even of the shorter trip by way of the Isthmus.—*Philadelphia Bulletin.*

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ARE NOW RECEIVING FOR THEIR SPRING SALES their usual large and varied stock of
Foreign and Domestic Goods,
ADAPTED TO MEN'S WEAR,
To which they invite the attention of the trade.
At this house can be found at all times the best makes of
BROADCLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
VESTINGS,
DOESKINS,
SATINETTS,
TWEEDS,
COTTONADES,
Kentucky Jeans, Pant and Coat Linens. Tailors' Trimmings, &c. &c.
Agents for Scott's Report of Fashions. feb.27-ly,1857

Summer Dress Goods.
AT COST.
WE ARE SELLING BAREGE ROBES, GRENADINE ROBES, and every description of
Summer Dress Goods at Cost,
And many will be sold below cost, to close them out.
Our assortment of these Goods, and the prices we shall offer them at, will make it an object to every purchaser.
Also, in large variety,
Mantillas, Raglan Dusters,
And all styles of Traveling Goods.
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Cash Sales.
CHEAP DRY GOODS!
20,000 STARK BAGS,
4,000 yds WOOL SACKING,
10 BALES CHANDLER'S WICK,
20 " CHEAP BATTS,
20,000 YARDS BLEACHED SHIRTINGS,
3,000 " 5-4 & 10-4 SHEETINGS,
4,000 PALM LEAF FANS.
T. B. CARTER & CO.
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Whiteley & Haseltine,
Importers and Jobbers of
STRAW AND MILLINERY GOODS,
HAVE REMOVED TO THEIR NEW IRON Front Store,
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And have associated with them Mr. James P. Rogers. Their business will be conducted, under the firm of Whiteley, Haseltine & Co.
They are now receiving a large assortment of Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers, Laces, Parasols, and every thing in the Straw Goods and Millinery line, and are constantly in receipt of new goods which they offer to the trade at New York prices. mh17'57-ly

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W. W. LEONARD
AND
S. P. Baldwin
HAVE COMMENCED THEIR REGULAR
Semi-Annual Sale
OF
CARPETINGS
AND CURTAIN GOODS
Previous to the instalment of their immense Stock of Fall Goods.
This Sale is Positive,
And as our room is limited, our present Stock
MUST BE DISPOSED OF.
Call Early and Secure Bargains.
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CARPET HALL,
No. 135 LAKE STREET.
CARPETS,
OIL CLOTHS,
MATTINGS,
MATTS AND RUGS,
CURTAIN GOODS AND TRIMMINGS,
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PRIME LIVE GEESE FEATHERS.
We keep constantly on hand, a LARGER STOCK of the above Goods, than all others in the city combined, which we are selling
At Reduced Prices.
The Entrance to our Sales Room and Carpet Hall, is now on the
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W. & G. S. WRIGHT,
Manufacturers of
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A LARGE AND SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of
SOLE LEATHER TRUNKS,
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LADIES' HAT CASES,
TRUNKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
—ALSO—
[illegible]
TRAVELING BAGS,
[illegible]

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197 Lake Street. 197
THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF
FURNITURE
AT MODERATE PRICES
JOHN WEST.
ROSEWOOD BEDSTEADS,
MAHOGANY BEDSTEADS,
WALNUT BEDSTEADS,
CHESNUT BEDSTEADS,
CHERRY BEDSTEADS,
MAPLE BEDSTEADS.
JOHN WEST.
Enameled Chamber Suits,
New and Beautiful Designs.
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ROSEWOOD WASHSTANDS,
MAHOGANY WASHSTANDS,
WALNUT WASHSTANDS,
CHERRY WASHSTANDS,
WHITEWOOD WASHSTANDS,
JOHN WEST.
Extension Tables—Oak, Walnut & Mahogany
BEDDING.
SPRING MATTRESSES, HAIR MATTRESSES, EXCELSIOR MATTRESSES, HUSK MATTRESSES, COTTON MATTRESSES, SEA GRASS MATTRESSES, BOLSTERS, PILLOWS, COMFORTERS, SHEETS, AND BLANKETS.
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SOFAS, CHAIRS, TETES,
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BOOK-CASES, SECRETARIES,
A Large Variety of
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FURNITURE.
WE HAVE NOW COMPLETED A SPLENDID Stock of Furniture, expressly adapted to our
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The most prominent articles are:
Parlors,
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Dining Rooms,
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Halls,
Iron and Bronze Hall Stands, Umbrella Stands, Hall Chairs
Counting House Furniture.
We have the largest variety in the city of
STANDING DESKS, DOUBLE AND SINGLE,
BANKERS' DESKS,
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REVOLVING STOOLS AND CHAIRS.
Also,
WALKER'S PATENT SOFA BEDSTEAD,
PATENT REVOLVING CRIBS,
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FINE WINDOW SHADES.
No misrepresentation allowed.
All goods shown cheerfully, but no one urged to buy.
Our facilities enable us to offer, at all times,
Good Goods, at Low and Uniform Rates.
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RANDOLPH STREET,
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GAS, STEAM FITTING,
AND
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AN EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF
Gas Fixtures,
From the Celebrated Manufactory of
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Always on hand, comprising the Plainest and most Elaborate Designs.
PRACTICAL PLUMBER,
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Particular attention given to fitting up
HOTELS,
WITH STEAM, WATER AND GAS.
IRON SETTEES, CHAIRS AND VASES FOR GARDEN LAWNS AND VERANDAHS
COUNTRY ORDERS,
PROMPTLY AND FAITHFULLY ATTENDED TO.
TO THE TRADE.
THE TRADE SUPPLIED WITH TOOLS, IRON PIPE FITTINGS, GAS FIXTURES, PLUMBING MATERIALS, AND EVERY ARTICLE IN THE GAS, STEAM-FITTING AND PLUMBING BUSINESS.
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Every description of Gas Fixture and Brass-work Bronzed or Re-gilt.
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LEAD PIPE AND SHEET LEAD WORKS.
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MANUFACTURERS OF LEAD PIPE, SHEET AND BAR LEAD,
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AGENTS FOR
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A full assortment of the above manufactures constantly on hand.
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The subscriber is now offering the
Largest and Best
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Comprising every grade, quality and price.
—ALSO—
A Great variety of
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Competent workmen sent to all parts of the city or country for Decorating and Paper Hanging, and Window Shades put up at short notice. All work warranted to give satisfaction.
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DYE-WORKS.
LACE CURTAINS, CRAPE, SHAWLS AND Counterpanes, Cleaned, Bleached and Warranted, to [illegible]
Carpets, Hearth Rugs and Druggets,
Of all kinds, Cleaned and Warranted.
Crape Shawls Dyed to any Shade.
Also every description of
LADIES' SILK, SATIN AND WOOLEN
Shawls and Dresses.
BROCHE, STELLA AND WOOLEN
SHAWLS, Cleaned and Pressed in a Superior Style.
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5,000 BOXES
French & American Window Glass,
COMPRISING ALL SIZES
From 7 by 9 to 36 by 44,
JUST RECEIVED BY
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GREAT BARGAINS
IN
Summer Clothing!
E. L. HARDING & CO.,
No. 159 Lake street, corner Lasalle.
ARE NOW CLOSING OUT THEIR
Large Stock of
SUMMER CLOTHING,
At Greatly Reduced Prices!
A LARGE LOT
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Youth's and Children's Clothing
At 25 per cent. Less than Usual Prices.
E. L. Harding & Co.,
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Shirts! Shirts!! Shirts!!!
MADE TO ORDER AND WARRANTED TO FIT,
At Cressy's Patent Yoke Shirt Depot,
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ONLY STRICTLY GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS Store in Chicago.
SILK SHIRTS, DRAWERS, SOCKS, CRAVATS, TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS, ETC., in immense variety.
At New York City Prices.
CRESSY, 69 Lake St.,
Between Dearborn & State.

SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS.
J. P. NEILL, MERCHANT TAILOR, 70 State street, would respectfully inform his Customers and Friends, that he is in receipt of his Spring and Summer Stock. It comprises the newest styles of French Cassimeres, Vestings and Broadcloths of the finest quality, which will be made up to order in the shortest notice, and most approved style. Also, a great variety of the choicest Furnishing Goods, embracing all the minor articles of wearing apparel.

Barrett King & Co.,
Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in
CLOTHING
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,
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Real Estate for Sale.

Fine Residence Property
ON MOST FAVORABLE TERMS.
THE UNDERSIGNED IS NOW PREPARED to sell at private sale, to parties desiring first-class Residence Property, and willing to improve immediately, Two Hundred Lots in Blocks five, six, seven, eight, nine, twelve and thirteen in Union Park, Second Addition, in West Chicago.
That the advantages of the West Division are fast becoming appreciated is evident from the fact that its population is shown by the census returns to double itself every three years. If that rate of increase should continue, the number of its inhabitants will amount in six years to one hundred and fifty thousand. [illegible]
The property now offered is strictly first-class, and is the only first-class property in Chicago that can be bought at a price and upon terms within the reach of gentlemen of moderate incomes. [illegible]
Each lot is well fenced, and every lot has a good new six-feet sidewalk in front and is beautifully ornamented with elm, maple, mountain ash, larch, spruce and fir trees taken from a nursery and set out by an experienced landscape gardener.
The conditions of sale will be as follows:—1st. Every buyer to begin building within six months. 2d. No house to be erected within ten feet of the street line, or of a less value than one thousand dollars. [illegible]
Prices will range from forty to seventy-five dollars per front foot.
TITLE.—A full and complete abstract will be exhibited [illegible]
S. S. HAYES, 137 Randolph street.
Office hours from 10 A.M. until 2 P.M.
Chicago, June 12, 1857.

HYDE PARK.
LOTS FOR SALE, BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED on the Lake shore, about 5½ miles from the Illinois Central Railroad Depot, Chicago.
The grounds are covered with Oak Groves, affording fine sites [illegible]
A BEAUTIFUL PARK,
Extending 2,000 feet along the shore, with shrubbery, rustic seats, gravelled walks, &c., has been laid out, which will always be open to the residents of the vicinity.
The North-Western Theological Seminary and a large Seminary for Young Ladies, are soon to be erected, the grounds around both of which will be beautifully laid out.
SPECIAL TRAINS.
Run regularly to and from this place, making the trip in about 20 minutes, rendering it easy of access for business men.
Also, Land for sale in the vicinity, by the single acre, or more if desired. Apply to DAVID S. OGDEN, Trustee, corner Lake and State streets.

Real Estate, Merchandise And General Exchange Negociating Office,
46 CLARK STREET..............CHICAGO, ILL.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING ALREADY had a large amount of valuable Real Estate, situated in Chicago and various parts of Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and Kansas, placed in my hands for disposal, has taken the office, 46 Clark st., recently occupied by A. G. Throop, Esq. [illegible]
PROPERTY TO LEASE, FOR SALE,
EXCHANGE FOR MERCHANDISE,
Or Goods or Property of any kind to dispose of, will find this office a good medium through which to do their business.
Having made business relations at different points, Collections will be made and Capital invested in a satisfactory manner. Parties wishing to employ means are invited to call and satisfy themselves.
Liberal inducements offered for business brought to the office.
WM. COLBY, 46 Clark st., Chicago, Ill.

Real Estate.
CLARK STREET.—LOT BETWEEN WASHINGTON and Madison; also, some very deep Lots between Jackson and Van Buren including the corner of Van Buren.
STATE ST.—120 feet front on State, below Twelfth; besides other lots nearer in and farther out.
WELLS ST.—80 feet north of Van Buren; also, 40 feet between Van Buren and Harrison.
RIVER LOTS.—200 feet on the South Branch, very cheap; also, 106 feet front on the North Branch at a great bargain.
15 ACRES.—On Madison st., west of the Bull's Head.
BUSH ST.—Corner of Rush and Illinois.
10 ACRE BLOCKS.—16 ten-acre Blocks, various directions.
LAND.—Adjoining the City Limits, west.
BLOCK 15.—Butler, Wright & Webster's Addition.
WEST WASHINGTON.—125 feet front in Block 43, Carpenter's Addition.
CANAL ST.—Lot between Madison and Monroe; also, between Randolph and Washington.
BORDEN & PICKERING,
190 Lake street, up stairs.

Valuable Real Estate for Sale.
FOR INVESTMENT OR IMPROVEMENT.
LARGE LOT ON STATE STREET, NEAR the new Post Office.
Several choice 5 acre Blocks, near Union Park.
10 acres on Adams street.
20 acres on Twelfth st., in Sec. 17, 39, 14.
17 acres on Evans st., in Sec. 19, 39, 14.
[illegible]
Also, a very desirable tract adjoining Hyde Park.
For particulars, apply to G. R. JONES, Real Estate Broker, No. 11 Masonic Temple.

Cleaverville.
LOTS FOR SALE BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED in groves of oak timber, on the Lake Shore, only four miles from the Illinois Central Depot, having a Station on the Road, with Accommodation Trains running regularly; [illegible]
Will be sold on Canal time. Apply to CHAS. CLEAVER, 99 Water st.

Desirable Residence Property
THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE 25 feet front on Wabash Avenue, a few rods South of Twelfth street. This lot has an East front, and is finely situated, with Ornamental Trees.
Also, the following tract of land, near the Lake Shore, [illegible]
Liberal time of payment given.
C. B. WAITE, 46 Clark street.

For sale or Rent.
WATER LOTS ON SOUTH BRANCH, near Jay's Ice House. 200 feet good Dock, 150 feet deep, and 25 feet rear street.
ALSO,
FOR SALE, a [illegible] Years' Lease on Building, [illegible]
Apply to
GATES, WARNER, CHALMERS & FRASER, Eagle Works.

Farming Lands and Town Lots for sale.
TOWN LOTS IN THE THRIVING VILLAGE of ASHKUM, 78 miles from Chicago, on the Illinois Central Railroad Branch, for sale on very favorable terms. A fine opportunity for Residence.
4,000 acres of superior Farming Lands, in the vicinity, on long credit and low rate of interest, [illegible]
DAVID S. OGDEN, [illegible] Lake street, corner of State.

For Sale.
SOUTH WATER STREET LOTS, FIFTY FEET FRONT.
Opposite the Mansion House, Chicago.
Apply to EDWARD I. TINKHAM & CO.

Hyde Park Property.
35 ACRES OF LAND, BEAUTIFULLY situated, half a mile from Hyde Park [illegible]
For sale by DAVID S. OGDEN, Lake street, corner of State.

220 ACRES, TWENTY-NINE MILES from Chicago, of black and white oak timber, [illegible]
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IOWA LAND.—375 ACRES IN THE GEM [illegible]

VERY DESIRABLE TOWN LOTS, [illegible]

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EDWIN CLARK. L. S. PLATT.
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CHICAGO..................ILLINOIS.
Loans negotiated on Real Estate and other securities. Investments made in City Property.

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323 ACRES, THREE MILES WEST OF Woodstock, the county seat of McHenry County, Illinois. Convenient to Railroad, Market, &c. 70 acres timbered, balance fine dry rolling prairie; 75 acres fenced and cultivated. A good house, which originally cost $1200, [illegible]
This Farm is richly worth $25 per acre, but being encumbered by a Trust Deed must be sold soon, and hence is offered at $18 per acre, [illegible]
For further particulars, apply to CLARK & PLATT, No. 11 Metropolitan Hall.

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A MOST BEAUTIFUL FARM OF 73 Acres, situated on Lake shore, adjoining the City of Racine. Within half a mile of Racine College, with a commanding view of all the steamers sailing between Chicago and the lower ports on the Lake and unsurpassed scenery, [illegible]
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Brick! Brick! Brick!
WE HAVE LEFT WITH US FOR SALE, one of the best beds of Clay in the West, situated on the bank of Lake Michigan, four miles north of the City of Racine. [illegible]
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Beautiful Summer Residence.
THE CITY OF RACINE, AT THE PRESENT time, [illegible]
CLARK & PLATT, No. 11 Metropolitan Hall.

Farms and Farming Lands.
WE HAVE A LARGE LIST OF IMPROVED Farms and Farming Lands, situated in the neighborhood of the city of Racine, Wis., which will be sold at bargains in quantities to suit purchasers. Enquire of
H. WARREN & Co., No. 10 Market, Racine.
Or CLARK & PLATT, No. 11 Metropolitan Hall.

Farmers Look Here!
A HIGHLY IMPROVED FARM 10 MILES West of Chicago, containing 240 acres, including 40 acres of Timber, 150 acres under the plow, plenty of water, and good Orchard bearing plenty of Fruit.
Parties looking for well-cultivated Farms would do well to go and see this Farm. Terms—½ cash, balance in one, two and three years. Apply to CLARK & PLATT, No. 11 Metropolitan Hall.

FOR SALE—LOT 12 FEET NORTH OF Second Presbyterian Church, extending from Wabash avenue to Park Place, opposite Dearborn Park—$[illegible]. Decidedly one of the finest lots in the city. On Canal time. Apply to CLARK & PLATT, No. 11 Metropolitan Hall.

FOR SALE—OPPOSITE THE COURT House, on La Salle street, south 80 feet of Lot 1, Block 38, Old Town, on canal time.
CLARK & PLATT, No. 11 Metropolitan Hall.

FOR SALE—HOUSES AND LOTS ON the West Side.
CLARK & PLATT, No. 11 Metropolitan Hall.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, No. 126 LaSalle street, between Washington and Madison, [illegible] feet. Canal terms.
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FOR SALE—25X100 FEET, LOT 4, IN Block 1, Carpenter's Addition.
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CHEAP LOTS ON STATE STREET AND Wabash Avenue—13 beautiful ¼ acre Lots on State street and Wabash Avenue, below the city limits, near Cottage Grove and the Baptist University. A fine chance for investment, as they are offered very low. Apply to
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Negotiations for money may be made through this office on real estate securities.
Persons will find it to their advantage to call at this office before making their arrangements or sale or purchase.
REFER TO
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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ESTABLISHED an Office for Real Estate and Loan transactions, and offer their services to their friends and the public generally.
Particular attention paid to negotiation of Loans on Real Estate, [illegible]
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Loans negotiated and business paper bought and sold at current rates.
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General Western Land Office.
BROOM, OSBORN & CO.,
55 CLARK ST., CHICAGO,
[illegible]
BROOM, OSBORN & CO.,
FILLMORE, OSB[illegible] STOCK [illegible] DUBUQUE, IOWA.
REAL ESTATE AGENTS, AND Exchange Brokers. Will give their prompt and personal attention to the Sale of Real Estate, Stocks and Bonds.
Loans negotiated.
Locating and selecting Land Warrants and Paying Taxes for Non-Residents.
[illegible]
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Land Locating Agency.
THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING HAD MUCH practical experience in
Selecting and Locating Lands
In the various Land Districts in the Western States, has unusual facilities for making valuable selections for
LAND WARRANTS OR CASH.
Choice selections may now be made in
WISCONSIN AND MISSOURI.
Persons having Warrants, can have them located IN THEIR OWN NAME,
And 40 Per Cent. Profit Guaranteed,
Payable in one year.
IOWA, WISCONSIN AND ILLINOIS LANDS
For Sale low for Cash.
Money invested in Kansas and Nebraska.
S. SALISBURY, Land Locating Agent, 49 Clark street, Chicago.

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Real Estate, Brokerage,
AND
LAND AGENCY,
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(UP STAIRS.)
OWNERS OF CITY PROPERTY, ESPECIALLY such that is to be subdivided into
Lots worth $300 to $1000 each,
In any part of the city, will find a good chance for its sale through my office, as my extensive acquaintance among the GERMAN AND SCANDINAVIAN POPULATION, enables me to make
QUICK SALES

Clybourne Avenue Property.
SEVEN OR EIGHT ACRES ARE OFFERED FOR SALE advantageously situated for subdivision, with three fronts—on the Avenue, [illegible]
For terms inquire of [illegible] STONE, No. 23 [illegible] Building, La Salle street.

80 ACRES OF LAND IN CUMBERLAND county, Ill.—cheap.
POST & THOMPSON, 43 Franklin st.

120 ACRES FOR SALE—AN IMPROVED FARM of 120 acres, in Jasper county, Ill., for sale at a low price. Inquire of
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Groceries.

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AVERY, UPHAM & CO.,
Wholesale Grocers and
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 18 SOUTH WATER STREET,
(Near the Illinois Central Depot.)
OFFER FOR SALE A LARGE AND WELL selected stock of GROCERIES, consisting in part of the following, viz:
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AVERY, UPHAM & CO.

REMOVAL.
BROWN & HILLIARD,
188 Lake Street, Chicago.
Wholesale Dealers and Manufacturers of
Bedding and Upholstery Goods.
TO UPHOLSTERERS AND FURNITURE DEALERS. We have in store our assortment of
MATTRESSES AND BEDDING
OF ALL KINDS,
[illegible]
HOTELS.
[illegible]

Legal Notices.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

IN PURSUANCE OF A DECRETAL ORDER

L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery Cook County.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE

ESTATE OF WILLIAM BOWLES, DECEASED.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

MARY J. KNOWLES, Administratrix.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECRETAL order

ISAAC COOK, Administrator.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

MASTER'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I

MASTER'S SALE.

IN PURSUANCE OF A DECRETAL ORDER

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE,

DAVID L. LEWIS, ROBERT H. MOORE, Mortgagees.

MASTER'S SALE.

Cook County Court of Common Pleas.

FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE.

IN PURSUANCE OF A DECRETAL ORDER

L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery, Cook County, Ill.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS JOHN C. MILLER AND

GEO. SCOVILLE, Trustee.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAIL ROAD. LANDS FOR SALE.

THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD

Hats and Caps.

Benedict, Mallory & Farnham

HAVE REMOVED TO

Nos. 45 and 47 Lake Street.

(In the New Iron Block.)

OUR LARGE SPRING STOCK OF Hats, Caps, and Straw Goods,

Comprises the greatest variety of styles to be found West of New York.

MERCHANTS FROM EVERY SECTION

Of the Western country are invited to call and examine our stock.

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